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HELD AT
WASHINGTON, N. C.,
Thursday, Dec. 7th, to Monday, Dec. 11th, 1899.

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BISHOP EUGENE R. HENDRIX.....PRESIDENT.  
REV. W. L. CUNINGGIM.....SECRETARY.

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JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS.

FIRST DAY.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7th, 1899.

The North Carolina Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, convened in its Sixty-Third Session in the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in Washington, N. C., Thursday morning, 9.30 o'clock, December 7th, 1899, Bishop Eugene R. Hendrix in the chair.

The opening religious services were conducted by Bishop Hendrix.

W. L. Cuninggim, Secretary of the last Conference, called the roll and the following responded to their names:

T. Page Ricaud, Moses J. Hunt, M. C. Thomas, A. D. Betts, R. A. Willis, B. B. Culbreth, T. J. Gattis, W. H. Moore, A. R. Raven, E. A. Yates, J. C. Crisp, J. E. Thompson, R. F. Bumpass, F. D. Swindell, W. C. Norman, R. J. Moorman, N. M. Journey, W. S. Rone, J. T. Gibbs, L. L. Nash, B. R. Hall, F. A. Bishop, N. E. Coltrane, R. C. Beaman, A. P. Tyer, G. A. Oglesby, L. E. Thompson, D. L. Earnhardt, J. N. Cole, C. R. Taylor, J. O. Guthrie, F. B. McCall, W. L. Cuninggim, D. A. Watkins, Z. T. Harrison, J. H. Hall, C. W. Smith, C. O. DuRant, B. B. Holder, A. McCullen, J. A. Lee, J. C. Kilgo, B. C. Allred, J. E. Underwood, J. M. Ashby, D. H. Tuttle, J. B. Hurley, R. B. John, F. M. Shamburger, T. J. Daily, Oliver Ryder, M. M. McFarland, J. A. Hornaday, C. P. Jerome, W. W. Rose, G. B. Perry, E. Pope, G. W. Fisher, W. H. Townsend, C. C. Brothers, E. H. Davis, J. D. Pegram, C. W. Robinson, T. N. Ivey, D. C. Geddie, J. G. Johnson, G. F. Smith, H. B. Anderson, J. M. Lowder, H. M. Jackson, L. M. Chaffin, G. T. Simmons, J. J. Barker, J. H. Shore, M. H.

Tuttle, E. C. Sell, L. S. Etheridge, N. M. Watson, E. C. Glenn, J. H. M. Giles, M. D. Hix, R. H. Broom, R. F. Taylor, A. J. Parker, H. G. Stamey, W. Y. Everton, J. B. Thompson, G. W. Starling, J. C. Jones, G. D. Langston, J. M. Rice, N. H. D. Wilson, K. D. Holmes, J. A. Peeler, L. S. Massey, E. E. Rose M. Bradshaw, J. D. Bundy, J. J. Porter, J. W. Martin, J. T. Draper, L. H. Joyner, A. L. Ormond, J. H. Frizzelle, T. H. Sutton, M. T. Plyler, J. P. Pate, J. L. Rumley, S. T. Moyle, J. W. Wallace, H. E. Tripp, W. F. Craven, W. C. Merritt, W. E. Hocutt, R. W. Bailey, S. A. Cotton, Samuel Leffers, Rufus Bradley, R. A. Bruton, W. D. Sasser, D. B. Parker, R. L. Davis, Y. E. Wright, H. A. Humble, E. W. Fox, B. C. Thompson, R. H. Willis, A. J. Groves, A. S. Barnes, N. L. Seabolt, L. O. Wyche.

LAY DELEGATES.

RALEIGH DISTRICT—C. E. McCullers.

DURHAM DISTRICT—R. I. Featherston, J. G. Reade.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT—H. Henderson, J. J. Powers.

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT—F. L. Bundy, W. B. Harker, F. P. Wyche.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT—R. Dozier, J. F. Parker, W. B. Cooper.

NEW BERNE DISTRICT—Dr. J. F. Miller, J. W. Wooten.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT—J. F. Bruton, F. B. Ricks, J. F. Buckman, G. I. Watson.

WARRENTON DISTRICT—J. H. Bridgers, J. T. Flythe, O. K. Taylor.

ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT—J. W. Evans, L. G. Roper, B. F. Spence.

C. W. Bynum, alternate lay delegate from the Fayetteville District, was announced as present in the place of J. F. Lamb; and A. J. Johnson, from the Wilmington District, in the place of W. H. Fussell.

On motion of L. L. Nash, W. L. Cuninggim, was elected Secretary of the Conference.

On motion of W. L. Cuninggim, N. H. D. Wilson was elected Assistant Secretary, G. T. Simmons, Recording Secretary, E. H. Davis, Statistical Secretary, R. H. Broom, L. S. Massey, W. F. Craven, J. W. Evans, Assistant Statistical Secretaries.

On motion of L. L. Nash the back of the ninth row of seats was designated as the bar of the Conference.

On motion of L. L. Nash the daily sessions of the Confer-

ence were ordered as follows: Convene at 9.30 o'clock, A. M., and adjourn at 1 P. M.

On motion of L. L. Nash, it was ordered that the Presiding Elders nominate the Standing Committees at the present session of the Conference.

E. A. Yates, from the Presiding Elders, reported nominations as follows, which were confirmed:

ON BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

CLERICAL—A. L. Ormond, J. N. Cole, G. W. Starling, R. W. Bailey, N. M. Watson, J. D. Bundy, R. C. Beaman, W. W. Rose, J. T. Bagwell.

LAY—J. G. Brown, J. B. Walker, C. W. Bynum, W. B. Cooper, F. B. Ricks, J. T. Flythe, L. L. Smith, W. B. Harker, Dr. J. F. Miller.

ON CHURCH PROPERTY,

CLERICAL—E. C. Glenn, J. B. Thompson, R. A. Bruton, J. J. Porter, Geo. T. Simmons, T. J. Daily, W. C. Merritt, M. D. Hix, C. O. Durrant.

LAY—B. W. Ballard, J. G. Daily, H. Henderson, A. J. Johnson, J. F. Buckman, J. H. Bridgers, L. G. Roper, R. H. Skeen, Y. T. Ormond.

ON CONFERENCE RELATIONS.

B. C. Allred, N. E. Coltrane, W. A. Forbes, H. E. Tripp, J. G. Johnson, J. D. Pegram, E. H. Davis, Z. T. Harrison, T. H. Sutton.

ON DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS.

M. S. Davis, R. H. Broom, H. G. Stamey, E. C. Sell, H. A. Humble, O. Ryder, M. T. Plyler, M. Bradshaw, S. T. Moyle.

ON BIBLE CAUSE.

CLERICAL—G. B. Perry, J. H. Shore, A. J. Groves, J. W. Wallace, A. D. Betts, J. C. Jones, C. W. Robinson, J. E. Thompson, J. M. Lowder.

LAY—C. E. McCullers, R. I. Featherston, A. D. Muse, J. Richard Dوزير, G. I. Watson, O. K. Taylor, B. F. Spence, F. P. Wyche, J. W. Wooten.

ON TEMPERANCE.

CLERICAL—M. H. Tuttle, G. A. Oglesby, L. O. Wyche, B. B. Culbreth, C. P. Jerome, J. M. Rice, C. R. Taylor, E. Pope, H. M. Jackson.

LAY—W. S. Hester, J. G. Reade, J. J. Powers, J. F. Parker, J. F. Bruton, O. K. Taylor, J. W. Evans, F. L. Bundy, F. S. Becton.

ON MEMOIRS.

J. N. Cole, J. O. Guthrie, T. N. Ivey, J. B. Hurley, W. C. Norman,
J. E. Underwood, T. P. Ricaud

ON PUBLIC WORSHIP.

B. R. Hall, L. L. Nash, E. W. Ayers.

On motion of W. S. Rone, J. A. Lee was elected to fill the vacancy on the Joint Board of Finance made by the death of L. J. Holden.

On motion of W. H. Moore, H. A. Page was substituted for F. B. Gibson on the Joint Board of Finance.

At his request R. F. Bumpass was released from the Board of Church Extension and L. M. Chaffin was elected to fill the vacancy ; and from the Committee of the Fourth Year, and J. H. Hall was elected to fill the vacancy.

On motion of W. S. Rone, the Board of Missions was requested to take under special consideration the question of Mormonism, and to recommend some special action regarding the question.

On motion of M. C. Thomas a committee on Sabbath Observance was ordered.

J. E. Underwood requested to be released from the Board of Missions and the Committee on Admissions and J. B. Hurley and J. G. Johnson were elected to fill the vacancies respectively.

Communications from J. D. Hammond, Corresponding Secretary of the Board of Education of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South ; Geo. W. Walker, President of Paine Institute ; the Trustees of Trinity College, and Dred Peacock, President of Greensboro Female College, were presented, read and referred to the Board of Education.

A communication from W. R. Lambuth and J. H. Pritch-

ett, Secretaries of the Board of Missions of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was presented, read and referred to the Board of Missions.

Rev. J. D. Hammond, D. D., Corresponding Secretary of the Board of Education of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South; Rev. J. R. Brooks, D. D., of the Western North Carolina Conference, and Dred Peacock, President of Greensboro Female College, were introduced to the Conference.

A communication from Barbee & Smith, Book Agents of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was presented and referred to the Committee on Books and Periodicals.

Question 20 was called, viz: "Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?"

The following elders passed the examination of character, and their names were, on a motion in each case, referred to the Committee on Conference Relations, viz.: M. C. Thomas, T. Page Ricaud, Solomon Pool, W. S. Davis, M. J. Hunt, I. W. Avent, J. H. Page and R. W. Townsend.

Under the same call the following passed the examination of character, viz: T. J. Browning, B. B. Holder, J. C. Crisp, J. T. Gibbs, E. A. Yates, F. A. Bishop, W. H. Moore, R. F. Bumpass, W. S. Rone, B. R. Hall, J. E. Underwood, and R. A. Willis.

N. A. Hooker, T. B. Reeks, R. P. Troy, P. L. Herman and J. A. Cuninggim having died during the year, their names were referred to the Committee on Memoirs.

Question 8 was called, viz: "What traveling preachers are elected deacons?"

Jacob [Holt McCracken, John Compton Humble, James Madison Benson and Saul Erastus Mercer passed the exam-

ination of character, and having been approved by the Examining Committee, were elected to deacon's orders.

James A. Dailey, Benson H. Black, James M. Terrell and Gaston Troy Adams passed the examination of character and having been approved by the Examining Committee, and being in deacon's orders, were advanced to the class of the third year.

William F. Jones passed the examination of character and remains in the class of the second year.

Question 7 was called, viz: "Who are deacons of one year?"

Bryan C. Thompson, Robert H. Willis, Andrew J. Groves and Albert S. Barnes passed the examination of character, and having been approved by the Examining Committee, were advanced to the class of the fourth year.

Jesse L. Cuninggim passed the examination of character and remains in the class of the third year.

Question 12 was called, viz.: "What traveling preachers are elected elders?"

David Bascom Parker, Robert Lee Davis, Yancey Ellerbe Wright, Hilary Augustus Humble, Ernest Wyatt Fox and Rufus Bradley passed the examination of character, and having been approved by the Examining Committee, were elected to elder's orders.

Wiley D. Sasser passed the examination of character and was continued in the class of the third year.

Question 2 was called, viz.: "Who remain on trial?"

George B. Starling, Guy D. Moses, John T. Irwin, William A. Piland, Charles L. Read, William E. Nicholson, James Y. Old, and John C. Wooten, passed the examination of character, and having been approved by the Examining Committee, were continued on trial and advanced to the class of the second year.

Question 10 was called, viz.: "What local preachers are elected deacons?"

Norman Clyde Yearby, George Bradbury Starling, Raleigh District, North Carolina Conference;

Benjamin Elijah Stanfield, Durham District, North Carolina Conference;

Charles Wesley Ray, Rockingham District, North Carolina Conference;

James Henderson Garriss, Warrenton District, North Conference;

having been recommended by their respective District Conferences, were elected to deacon's orders.

Question 14 was called, namely, viz.: "What local preachers are elected elders?"

Answer: None.

Question 5 was called, viz.: "Who are readmitted?"

Answer: None.

At 1 o'clock, P. M., the Conference adjourned.

Benediction by Rev. M. J. Hunt.

SECOND DAY.

FRIDAY, December 8th, 1899.

The Conference opened at 9.30 o'clock, Bishop Hendrix in the chair.

The opening religious services were conducted by Rev. E. A. Yates, D. D.

On motion of E. A. Yates, it was ordered that the call-

ing of the roll be dispensed with for this morning and for the remainder of the session.

The Journal of yesterday's session was read and approved.

W. C. Norman presented and read the report of the Commission to establish an organ for the North Carolina Conference, and it was referred to the Committee on Books and Periodicals.

A communication from Rev. H. M. DuBose, D. D., General Secretary of the Epworth League Board of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was presented, read and referred to the Epworth League Board.

A communication from Rev. James Atkins, D. D., Sunday School Editor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was presented, read, and referred to the Sunday School Board.

M. S. Davis, President of Louisburg Female College, presented his report, which was referred to the Board of Education.

Question 20 was called, viz: "Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?"

The following elders passed the examination of character: W. L. Cuninggim, W. H. Townsend, L. O. Wyche, R. A. Bruton, H. G. Stamey, W. A. Forbes, J. Sanford, W. H. Puckett, J. H. Frizzelle, W. F. Craven, L. E. Thompson, D. L. Earnhardt, F. M. Shamburger, L. S. Etheredge, J. P. Pate, W. W. Rose, D. A. Watkins, N. H. Guyton, M. D. Hix, M. Bradshaw, E. Pope, W. J. Crowson, Z. T. Harrison, J. E. Thompson, A. P. Tyer, B. B. Culbreth, J. H. Hall, E. C. Sell, J. W. Wallace,¹ W. E. Hocutt, J. W. Martin, H. E. Tripp, L. M. Chaffin, D. A. Futrell, A. R. Raven, C. W. Smith, J. J. Porter, R. W. Bailey.

F. A. Bishop reported that W. F. Galloway had surren-

dered his credentials and withdrawn from the ministry and membership of the Church.

Question 16 was called, viz: "Who are located this year?"

On motion of R. F. Bumpass, John A. Rouse was granted location at his own request.

Rev. L. W. Crawford, D. D., Editor of the North Carolina Christian Advocate; Rev. J. T. Hardesty, of the Methodist Episcopal Church; Rev. C. M. Payne, D. D., pastor of the Presbyterian Church of this city, and Rev. J. J. Lafferty, D. L., Editor of the Richmond Christian Advocate, were introduced to the Conference.

Question 1 was called, viz: "Who are admitted on trial?"

Garland Olando Green, and Preston DeWitt Woodall, Fayetteville District, North Carolina Conference; Rufus Rhodes Grant, Warrenton District, North Carolina Conference; James Townsend Stanford, Durham District, North Carolina Conference; Edward Ruskin Welsh, Wilmington District, North Carolina Conference; Harry Maurice North, Rockingham District, North Carolina Conference; having been recommended by their respective District Conferences and approved by the Committees of Examination and of Admissions, were admitted on trial.

On motion of E. A. Yates, the application of W. O. Hightower for the restoration of his credentials was denied.

Question 4 was called, viz.: "Who are admitted into full connection?"

Jacob Holt McCracken, John Compton Humble, James Madison Benson, Saul Erastus Mercer, James A. Dailey, Benson H. Black, James M. Terrell, Gaston Troy Adams passed the examination of character, and having been ap-

proved by the Examining Committee, were examined by Bishop Hendrix in open Conference and admitted into full connection.

At 1 o'clock p. m. the Conference adjourned.
Benediction by Rev. C. M. Payne, D. D.

THIRD DAY.

SATURDAY, December 9th, 1899.

The Conference opened at 9.30 o'clock, A. M., Bishop Hendrix in the chair.

The opening religious services were conducted by Rev. J. E. Underwood.

The Journal of yesterday's session was read and approved.

Question 6 was called, viz.: "Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?"

The Bishop announced that J. D. McAllister, an elder, had been transferred from the Holston Conference, and J. W. Potter, in the class of the second year, from the North Georgia Conference.

Question 17 was called, viz.: "Who are supernumerary?"

The Committee on Conference Relations submitted a report recommending that R. W. Townsend be granted a supernumerary relation, which was adopted.

Question 18 was called, viz.: "Who are superannuated?"

The Committee on Conference Relations submitted a report recommending that Marcus C. Thomas, T. Page Ricaud, Solomon Pool, William S. Davis, Moses J. Hunt, I.

W. Avent and Jesse H. Page be granted a superannuated relation, which was adopted.

Question 20 was called, viz: "Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?"

The following passed the examination of character:

W. C. Norman, E. C. Glenn, A. L. Ormond, J. T. Draper, J. W. Jenkins, M. M. McFarland, G. B. Perry, G. F. Smith, B. C. Allred, T. J. Gattis, M. H. Tuttle, K. D. Holmes, T. N. Ivey, J. N. Cole, W. E. Edmonson, G. A. Oglesby, G. D. Langston, D. N. Caviness, S. A. Cotton, N. H. D. Wilson, R. H. Broom, N. E. Coltrane, J. B. Thompson, W. J. Twilley, R. F. Taylor, J. H. Shore, J. C. Kilgo, N. M. Journey, R. B. John, F. D. Swindell, S. T. Moyle, H. M. Jackson, J. T. Bagwell, T. H. Sutton, J. A. Lee, D. C. Geddie, C. D. DuRant, J. M. Lowder, C. C. Brothers, L. S. Massey, D. H. Tuttle, J. O. Guthrie, J. M. Rice, T. J. Dailey, A. McCullen, A. R. Goodchild, J. D. Bundy, E. E. Rose, O. Ryder, G. W. Fisher, J. D. Pegram, J. C. Jones, J. L. Rumley, P. Greening, J. M. Ashby, J. M. Rhodes, R. C. Beaman, C. R. Taylor, A. J. Parker, J. H. M. Giles, C. W. Robinson, F. B. McCall, W. C. Merritt, J. A. Hornaday, M. T. Plyler, E. H. Davis, S. Leffers, W. Y. Everton, J. J. Barker, J. A. Peeler, G. T. Simmons, J. G. Johnson, N. M. Watson, A. D. Betts, N. L. Seabolt, J. E. Bristowe, H. B. Anderson, L. L. Nash, R. J. Moorman, L. H. Joyner, Jr., J. B. Hurley, C. P. Jerome.

W. A. Jenkins was reported as having withdrawn from the church.

On a motion in each case, by the presiding elders representing the persons, the names of G. A. Oglesby, T. J. Gattis, B. B. Holder and J. O. Guthrie were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

G. A. Oglesby moved that the questions regarding the passage of the character of T. J. Gattis be referred to the Presiding Elder of the Raleigh District. On motion of F. D. Swindell this motion was laid on the table.

On motion of J. T. Gibbs, the Bishop was requested to draw his draft on the Treasurer of the Conference Trustees

for two hundred and fifty-three dollars and eighty-three cents in favor of the Joint Board of Finance.

L. J. Holden and J. T. Abernethy having died during the year, their names were referred to the Committee on Memoirs,

The following Committee on Sabbath Observance was appointed: B. C. Thompson, W. E. Hocutt, G. B. Perry, W. W. Rose, W. F. Craven, T. B. McCall, C. O. DuRant, R. J. Moorman, O. Ryder.

Question 45 was called, viz.: "Where shall the next Session of the Conference be held?"

A. P. Tyer presented an invitation from Grace Church, Wilmington, N. C., for the Conference to hold its next session with that church;

T. A. Green presented an invitation from Centenary Church, New Berne, N. C.;

New Berne receiving a majority of the votes cast, the Conference, on motion of A. P. Tyer, voted unanimously to accept the invitation from New Berne.

J. M. Rhodes, President of Littleton Female College, presented his report and it was referred to the Board of Education.

On motion of W. L. Cuninggim, it was ordered that when the Conference adjourns it do so to meet to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock for the Memorial Services.

W. L. Cuninggim submitted the following statement regarding the expenses of recording, publishing and distributing the Journal of the last Conference, which was accepted:

Received from the Joint Board of Finance.....	\$240 00
“ “ sale of Journals and postage returned.....	27 16
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Paid Printers.....	\$236 00
Postage.....	23 66
Copying and distributing Journals.....	26 73—286 39
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Balance due Secretary.....	\$19 23

A collection to pay this balance was taken and \$20.52 were given.

W. W. Rose presented the report of the Committee on Books and Periodicals, which after some discussion, was adopted. [Document No. 11 of the Appendix].

N. H. D. Wilson introduced the following resolution, which was adopted :

WHEREAS, The Methodist Episcopal Church, in many parts of our Conference, is doing great injury to the cause of Christ and to our Church, (1) by aiding and encouraging men to sow the seeds of discord among our members in order to disintegrate our church. (2) By gathering together and organizing these disaffected elements of our church into societies, and by building churches in many places hitherto unoccupied by itself and now fully occupied by ourselves, thereby engendering strife and division among Methodist people, and detriment to the cause of Christ; therefore

RESOLVED, That we protest against this course of our sister Church as a violation of the original plan of separation, a breach of the agreement of the Cape May and Federation commissions, and a denial in deed of all professions of friendship and fraternity.

RESOLVED, 2ND, That the Secretary be directed to communicate this action to the Commission of Federation of our Church with the request that they and the presiding Bishop seek to remedy the evil set forth.

[Signed]

L. L. SMITH.

N. H. D. WILSON.

F. D. Swindell submitted and read the report Number 1 of the Board of Missions, which was adopted. [Document No. 12 of Appendix].

On motion of R. F. Bumpass, it was ordered that the Board of Church Extension of this Conference be requested to make an assessment of \$800 in connection with the Church Extension assessment, to meet the interest on the bonds given by Fifth Street Church in Wilmington.

On motion of J. T. Gibbs, the Secretary of the Conference was requested to obtain from the records of the State a copy of the charter of the Conference Trustees.

On motion of E. A. Yates, leave of absence was granted to N. M. Journey.

Rev. J. P. Rodgers, of the Western North Carolina Conference, was introduced to the Conference.

After an address by Bishop Hendrix, a collection for the Twentieth Century Fund was taken and pledges amounting to more than \$3,000.00, were made.

At 1.25 o'clock p. m. the Conference adjourned.

Benediction by Rev. J. R. Brooks, D. D.

MEMORIAL SERVICES.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON, December 10th, 1899.

The Conference opened at 3 o'clock, Bishop Hendrix in the chair.

The opening religious services were conducted by Rev. R. C. Beaman.

Question 19 was called, viz.: "What preachers have died during the past year?"

Answer: Jesse A. Cuninggim, Thomas B. Reeks, Nathan

A. Hooker, Robert P. Troy, Peter L. Herman, Lucien J. Holden, John T. Abernethy.

The memoir of Jesse A. Cuninggim was read by T. N. Ivey; of Thomas B. Reeks, by J. O. Guthrie; of Nathan A. Hooker, by T. Page Ricaud; of Robert P. Troy, by W. C. Norman; of Peter L. Herman, by J. N. Cole; of Lucien J. Holden, by R. C. Beaman; and of John T. Abernethy, by J. E. Underwood. [Documents Nos. 1-7 of Appendix].

On motion of E. A. Yates it was ordered that the memoir of William H. Branson, Treasurer of the Joint Board of Finance, be inserted in the minutes of this session of the Conference. [Document No. 8 of Appendix].

At 4.25 p. m. the Conference adjourned.

Benediction by Bishop Hendrix.

FOURTH DAY—MORNING SESSION.

MONDAY, December 11th, 1899.

The Conference opened at 9.30 o'clock, Bishop Hendrix in the chair.

The opening religious services were conducted by Rev. G. F. Smith.

The Journal of Saturday's session and of the Memorial Services of yesterday afternoon was read and approved.

Question 9 was called, viz: "What traveling preachers are ordained deacons?"

On yesterday at the close of the morning service in this church, Bishop Hendrix ordained Saul Erastus Mercer,

James Madison Benson, John Compton Humble, Jacob Holt McCracken, to the office of deacon.

Question 11 was called, viz: "What local preachers are ordained deacons?"

On yesterday at the close of the morning session in this church, Bishop Hendrix ordained Benjamin Elijah Stanfield, George Bradbury Starling, Norman Clyde Yearby, James Henderson Garriss and Charles Wesley Ray to the office of deacon.

Question 13 was called, viz.: "What traveling preachers are ordained elders?"

At the close of the evening session of yesterday Bishop Hendrix, assisted by Revs. R. A. Willis and W. H. Moore, D. D., ordained Hilary Augustus Humble, Yancy Ellerbee Wright, Robert Lee Davis, David Bascom Parker, Rufus Bradley, and Ernest Wyatt Fox to the office of elder.

R. A. Willis returned the credentials surrendered by W. A. Jenkins.

Question 17 was called, viz.: "Who are supernumerary?"

J. D. Pegram, from the Committee on Conference Relations, submitted a report recommending that J. O. Guthrie, be granted a supernumerary relation, which was adopted.

Question 18 was called, viz.: "Who are superannuated?"

J. D. Pegram, from the Committee on Conference Relations, submitted a report recommending that T. J. Gattis, G. A. Oglesby and B. B. Holder be granted a superannuated relation, which was adopted.

J. C. Kilgo introduced the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the month of February be appointed as ADVOCATE month and that our pastors during the month preach on Christian literature, and that prayer be especially made for our Church organ, the RALEIGH

CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE; that our pastors, through committees, or otherwise, during the month of February canvass their congregations in interest of the circulation of the RALEIGH ADVOCATE among their people.

JNO C. KILGO,

ANDREW P TYER.

On motion of W. B. Harker, it was ordered that a memoir of H. C. Wall, a member of the Board of Education, who had died during the past year, to be prepared by F. M. Shamburger, be inserted in the minutes. [Document No. 9 of Appendix].

C. W. Robinson submitted and read the report of the Committee on the Bible Cause, which was adopted. [Document No. 13 of Appendix].

M. S. Davis submitted the report of the Committee on District Conference Records, which was read and adopted. [Document No. 14 of Appendix].

W. W. Rose submitted and read the report of the Committee on Sabbath Observance, which was adopted. [Document No. 15 of Appendix].

On motion of E. A. Yates it was ordered that the Secretary of the Conference furnish to the secretaries of the District Conferences copies of the report of the Committee on District Conference Records.

A report from the Committee on Orphanage, appointed at the last session of the Conference, accompanied by a report of the Board of Trustees of the Orphanage, was read and adopted. [Document No. 16 of Appendix].

On motion of E. A. Yates it was ordered:

That the Board of Trustees of the Methodist Orphanage of the North Carolina Conference are hereby directed to ask the legislature to amend the charter of said Orphanage, eliminating that feature of the enterprise which provides for a home for superannuated preachers.

N. H. D. Wilson submitted and read report No. 2 of the Board of Missions. which was accepted, and the recommendation that F. D. Swindell and J. G. Brown be sent as official delegates of this Conference to the Ecumenical Conference of Missions, was adopted. [Document No. 17 of Appendix.]

L. S. Massey submitted and read the report of the Board of Education, which was adopted. [Document No. 18 of Appendix].

On motion of J. T. Gibbs it was ordered :

That Rev. A. P. Tyer be, and he is hereby, appointed a committee to visit Littleton Female College at its next Annual Commencement, meet with its Board of Trustees, and inquire particularly into its condition every way and especially regarding the stock owned by this Conference in said institution, and report at our next session.

R. H. Willis submitted and read the report of the Sunday School Board, which was accepted. [Document No. 19 of Appendix].

F. D. Swindell introduced the following resolution, which was adopted :

WHEREAS, We think a liberal part of the Twentieth Century Fund should be used to aid our girls; whereas the N. C. Conference owns \$3,000 worth of stock in Littleton Female College, and whereas this institution is already doing a very successful work in the way of aiding young ladies of limited means and is in great need of additional funds for this purpose:

RESOLVED, That Littleton Female College is entitled to and richly deserves such parts of the Twentieth Century Fund as the people shall see fit to give it.

2. That all such funds so appropriated to this institution shall be the property of the North Carolina Conference and shall be placed in the hands of the Conference Trustees of the College and used by them as in

their discretion shall seem best and so long as this school is endorsed by the Conference.

F. D. SWINDELL.
E. A. YATES.
W. S. RONE.
J. N. COLE.
F. A. BISHOP.
J. E. UNDERWOOD.
J. T. GIBBS.
R. F. BUMPASS.

On motion of E. A. Yates, the Secretary of the Conference was requested to return the thanks of the Conference to the Southern Railway for its offer to carry at reduced rates the household goods of those ministers who will move.

The report of the Board of Church Extension was submitted, read and accepted. [Document No. 20 of Appendix.]

On motion of J. T. Gibbs the time of adjournment was postponed.

M. H. Tuttle submitted and read the report of the Committee on Temperance, which was adopted. [Document No. 21 of Appendix.]

H. B. Anderson submitted and read the report of the Epworth League Board, which was adopted. [Document No. 22 of Appendix.]

L. L. Smith introduced the following resolution, which was adopted :

RESOLVED, That the educational department of the Methodist Orphanage be presented to our people as one of the worthy objects of the thanksgiving offering, known as the Twentieth Century Fund.

L. L. SMITH,
F. D. SWINDELL.
N. M. WATSON.

A. D. Betts introduced the following resolution, which was adopted :

WHEREAS, Medical men say that many boys and young men have injured themselves with tobacco;

RESOLVED, That we will try to persuade the young to abstain from its use.

A. D. BETTS

F. D. SWINDELL.

J. D. PEGRAM.

E. C. Sell was granted leave of absence.

The Conference adjourned at 1.15 p. m. to meet this evening at 7.

Benediction by Rev. M. C. Thomas.

FOURTH DAY—EVENING SESSION.

MONDAY, December 11th, 1899.

The Conference opened at 7 o'clock, Bishop Hendrix in the chair.

The opening religious services were conducted by Bishop Hendrix, Rev. T. Page Ricaud leading in prayer.

The Journal of the morning session was read and approved.

On motion of A. P. Tyer it was ordered that a memoir, to be prepared by R. C. Beaman, of L. W. McMullan, a member of the Board of Education, who died during the past session, be inserted in the minutes of this Conference. [Document No. 10 of Appendix].

F. D. Swindell introduced the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted by a rising vote :

RESOLVED, That to the generous and hospitable people of Washington this Conference wishes to express its gratitude for the elegant, sumptuous and delightful hospitality extended to us, and we invoke the richest blessings of Heaven upon them, now and evermore.

RESOLVED, That the thanks of this body be tendered the pastors and officers of our sister churches, who have so kindly extended to us the use of their houses of worship during the session.

F. D. SWINDELL,
W. S. RONE.

Question 3 was called, viz. : " Who are discontinued? "

Answer : None.

The following questions were called and answered:

Question 21 : " What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations and missions of the Conference? "

Answer : Local preachers, 109 ; members, 65,255.

Question 22 : " How many infants have been baptized during the year? "

Answer : 790.

Question 23 : " How many adults have been baptized during the year? "

Answer : 1,432.

Question 24 : " What is the number of Epworth Leagues? "

Answer : 38.

Question 25 : " What is the number of Epworth League members? "

Answer : 1,437.

Question 26 : " What is the number of Sunday Schools? "

Answer : 618.

Question 27 : " What is the number of Sunday School scholars? "

Answer : 39,520.

Question 29. " What amount is necessary for the superan-

nuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers ?”

Answer : \$6,000.00.

Question 30. “What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied ?”

Amount from Districts	\$4,479 56
Trust Fund	253 83
Calvin Fund	32 00
Dividend from Bank of Wilmington	50 84

Total \$4,816 23

Distributed to claimants, \$4,743; printing minutes, \$60.00; incidental expenses, \$3.50; balance on hand, \$9.70. Total, \$4,816.23.

Question 31. “What has been contributed for missions ?”

Answer : Foreign, \$10,531.23 ; Domestic, \$6,778.75.

Question 32. “What has been contributed for Church Extension ?”

Answer : \$3,089.79.

Question 33. “What has been done for the American Bible Society ?”

Answer : \$373.42.

Question 34. “What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge ?”

Answer : Presiding Elders, \$12,317.55 ; Preachers in Charge, \$84,844.88.

Question 35. “What has been contributed for the support of Bishops ?”

Answer : \$1,584.98.

Question 36. “What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them ?”

Answer : Number of societies, 671 ; number of houses of worship, 643½.

Question 37. "What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon?"

Answer: Value, \$841,198; indebtedness, \$32,108.13.

Question 38. "What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them?"

Answer: Pastoral charges, 157; number of parsonages, 128.

Question 39. "What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon?"

Answer: Value, \$153,925; indebtedness, \$16,045.50.

Question 40. "What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages?"

Answer: Number of districts, 9; number of district parsonages, 6.

Question 41. "What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon?"

Answer: Value, \$17,550; indebtedness, \$5,788.76.

Question 42. "What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage?"

Answer: Number of churches damaged, 5; amount of damage, \$2,325.

Question 43. "What are the insurance statistics?"

Answer: Insurance carried, \$168,160; premiums paid, \$1,308.17; losses sustained, \$800; collections on losses, \$480.

Question 44. "What are the educational statistics?"

Answer: Trinity College—Teachers, 25; students, 217; value of property, \$333,833; endowment, \$231,750. Littleton Female College—Teachers, 15; students, 120; value of property, \$25,000.

W. C. Norman submitted and read the report of the Joint

Board of Finance, which was adopted. [Document No. 23 of Appendix.]

Bishop Hendrix announced the Joint Board of Finance, as follows :

CLERICAL—G. F. Smith, W. C. Norman, J. H. Frizzelle, J. E. Thompson, W. E. Hocutt, M. D. Hix, N. M. Watson, J. D. Bundy, J. A. Hornaday.

LAY—B. B. Adams, W. H. McCabe, Q. K. Nimocks, H. A. Page, W. E. Springer, T. A. Green, D. D. Haskett, J. T. Flythe, C. E. Cramer.

C. O. DuRant submitted and read the report of the Committee on Church Property, which was adopted. [Document No. 24 of Appendix.]

R. F. Bumpass announced that D. A. Futrell had withdrawn from the ministry and membership of the church.

L. L. Nash introduced the following resolution, which was adopted :

RESOLVED, That the thanks of this Conference be extended to the railroads and steamship lines for their courtesies.

E. A. YATES,

L. L. NASH.

The Journal of the evening session was read and approved.

Question 46 was called, viz.: "Where are the preachers stationed this year?"

Bishop Hendrix announced the appointments. [See Appointments.]

The Conference adjourned at 8.40 P. M.

Benediction by Bishop Hendrix.

APPOINTMENTS.

[The figures opposite the names indicate the years of service, as the Secretary could be informed of changes in names or charges].

RALEIGH DISTRICT.

J. T. GIBBS.....Presiding Elder—2.

RALEIGH—Edenton Street: G. F. Smith, 1; J. O. Guthrie, supernumerary

RALEIGH—Central: G. T. Adams, 1; E. C. Glenn, 4.

RALEIGH—Brooklyn and Epworth: M. M. McFarland, 1.

CARY—A. L. Ormand, 2.

CLAYTON—S. A. Cotton, 1.

SMITHFIELD—K. D. Holmes, 1.

KENLY—G. B. Starling, 2.

MILLBROOK—N. L. Seabolt, 1.

YOUNGSVILLE—Supplied by R. H. Whitaker, 3.

FRANKLINTON—G. B. Perry, 3.

LOUISBURG—M. T. Plyler, 1.

TAR RIVER—B. C. Allred, 3.

GRANVILLE—W. H. Puckett, 1.

OXFORD—A. McCullen, 1.

OXFORD CIRCUIT—J. D. Pegram, 1.

EDITOR OF RALEIGH CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE—T. N. Ivey.

CHAPLAIN IN UNITED STATES NAVY—W. E. Edmonson.

AGENT OF THE ORPHANAGE—J. W. Jenkins.

DURHAM DISTRICT.

E. A. YATES.....Presiding Elder.—2

DURHAM—Trinity: W. C. Norman, 1.

DURHAM—Main Street: A. P. Tyer, 1.

DURHAM—Carr Church and Branson: D. N. Caviness, 4.

DURHAM CIRCUIT—J. H. McCracken, 3.

WEST DURHAM AND CUNINGGIM—G. D. Langston, 2.

CHAPEL HILL—N. H. D. Wilson, 4.
 HILLSBORO CIRCUIT—E. W. Fox, 2.
 MT. TIRZAH—R. H. Broom, 3.
 ROXBORO—N. E. Coltrane, 4.
 LEASBURG—J. B. Thompson, 3.
 MILTON—W. E. Nicholson, 2.
 YANCEYVILLE—R. F. Taylor, 1.
 BURLINGTON CIRCUIT—J. T. Stanford, 1.
 BURLINGTON—J. H. Shore, 3.
 HAW RIVER, GRAHAM AND EAST BURLINGTON—B. C. Thomson, 1.
 ALAMANCE—J. A. Dailey, 1.
 PRESIDENT TRINITY COLLEGE—J. C. Kilgo.
 AGENT BRAXTON CRAVEN MEMORIAL HALL, TRINITY COLLEGE—N. M. Journey.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

B. R. HALL.....Presiding Elder—1.

FAYETTEVILLE—Hay Street: W. L. Cuninggim, 2.
 CAMPBELLTON AND ROSE CHAPEL—P. D. Woodall, 1.
 CUMBERLAND—W. H. Townsend, 2.
 COKESBURY—G. O. Green, 1.
 SAMPSON—J. C. Crisp, 1.
 LILLINGTON—D. A. Watkins, 1.
 BUCKHORN—H. G. Stamey, 4.
 DUNN—W. A. Forbes, 2.
 NEWTON GROVE—J. C. Humble, 1.
 CAPE FEAR—B. B. Culbreth, 1.
 PITTSBORO—J. Sanford, 2.
 HAW RIVER—J. T. Draper, 1.
 DEEP RIVER—J. H. Frizzelle, 2.
 SILER CITY—W. F. Craven, 3.
 CARTHAGE—L. E. Thompson, 2.
 JONESBORO—D. L. Earnhardt, 4.

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT.

W. H. MOORE.....Presiding Elder—3.

ROCKINGHAM—F. M. Shamberger, 2.
 ROCKINGHAM CIRCUIT—L. S. Etheridge, 2.
 RICHMOND—N. H. Guyton, 1.
 MT. GILEAD—W. W. Rose, 3.
 PEKIN—To be supplied.

MONTGOMERY—W. D. Sasser, 2.
 STAR—Supplied by T. H. Bain, 1.
 ABERDEEN—J. E. Thompson, 3.
 ST. JOHN—J. A. Lee, 1.
 LAURINBURG—L. S. Massey, 1.
 SNEAD'S GROVE—S. E. Mercer, 3.
 MAXTON AND CALEDONIA—M. Bradshaw, 4.
 RED SPRINGS—E. Pope, 2.
 LUMBERTON—J. P. Pate, 1.
 ROBESON—Z. T. Harrison, 2.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

R. F. BUMPASS.....Presiding Elder—2.

WILMINGTON—GRACE—J. N. Cole, 1.
 WILMINGTON—BLADEN STREET, J. J. Porter, 1.
 WILMINGTON—FIFTH STREET—J. H. Hall, 2.
 WILMINGTON—MARKET STREET—J. W. Potter, 1.
 SCOTT'S HILL—E. C. Sell, 2.
 ONSLOW—Supplied by F. S. Becton, 1.
 JACKSONVILLE AND RICHLANDS—E. R. Welsh, 1.
 MAGNOLIA—J. W. Wallace, 2.
 KENANSVILLE—W. E. Hocutt, 2.
 BURGAW—J. W. Martin, 2.
 CLINTON—H. E. Tripp, 2.
 BLADEN—L. M. Chaffin, 2.
 ELIZABETH—G. T. Simmons, 1.
 WHITEVILLE—A. S. Barnes, 1.
 CARVER'S CREEK—C. W. Smith, 3.
 WACCAMAW—Supplied by B. F. Deloatch, 1.
 ATLANTIC—To be supplied by J. M. Marlowe.
 ZION—T. J. Browning, 1.
 SOUTHPORT—R. W. Bailey, 2.

NEW BERNE DISTRICT.

W. S. RONE.....Presiding Elder—4.

NEW BERNE—Centenary: R. B. John, 3.
 GOLDSBORO—St. Paul: F. D. Swindell, 3.
 GOLDSBORO—St. John: S. T. Moyle, 2.
 GOLDSBORO CIRCUIT—H. M. Jackson, 2.
 MT. OLIVE AND FAISON—A. R. Raven, 1.
 MT. OLIVE CIRCUIT—Supplied by J. M. Caraway, 1.

LA GRANGE—T. H. Sutton, 3.
 SNOW HILL—C. W. Robinson, 1.
 KINSTON—D. H. Tuttle, 1.
 GRIFTON—D. C. Geddie, 2.
 JONES—J. M. Benson, 4.
 CRAVEN—C. O. DuRant, 2.
 PAMLICO—J. M. Lowder, 2.
 CARTERET—C. C. Brothers, 2.
 MOREHEAD CITY—H. M. North, 1.
 BEAUFORT—M. D. Hix, 1.
 STRAITS—Supplied by C. P. Snow, 1.
 CORE SOUND MISSION—L. O. Wyche, 1.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

F. A. BISHOP.....Presiding Elder—1.

WASHINGTON STATION—L. L. Nash, 2.
 WASHINGTON CIRCUIT—Y. E. Wright, 1.
 AURORA—W. Y. Everton, 1.
 SWAN QUARTER—G. D. Moses, 1.
 MATTAMUSKEET—J. G. Johnson, 2.
 FAIRFIELD STATION—J. M. Terrell, 1.
 GREENVILLE—N. M. Watson, 4.
 AYDEN—A. D. Betts, 2.
 GRIMESLAND AND VANCEBORO—R. A. Bruton, 1.
 BETHEL AND JAMESVILLE—J. E. Bristowe, 2.
 TARBORO—H. B. Anderson, 2.
 CONETOE—R. R. Grant, 1.
 SOUTH EDGECOMBE—C. L. Read, 2.
 ROCKY MOUNT—R. J. Moorman, 4.
 SOUTH ROCKY MOUNT AND MARVIN CHAPEL—To be supplied by J. A. Rood, 1.
 NASHVILLE—H. A. Humble, 3.
 SPRING HOPE—L. H. Joyner, 2.
 WILSON—J. B. Hurley, 4.
 FREMONT—F. B. McCall, 1.
 PORTSMOUTH AND OCRACOE—B. H. Black, 1.

WARRENTON DISTRICT.

J. E. UNDERWOOD.....Presiding Elder—2.

WARRENTON—E. H. Davis, 1.
 WARREN—J. M. Rice, 2.
 RIDGEWAY—T. J. Dailey, 4.

ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT.

W. L. CUNINGGIM,
Secretary.

EUGENE R. HENDRIX,
President.

APPENDIX.

[Document No. 1.]

MEMOIR OF REV. J. A. CUNINGGIM, D. D.

JESSE ANDERSON CUNINGGIM was born in Greene County, North Carolina, January 28, 1832. He had the advantages offered always in a truly godly home. His father was Rev. W. H. Cuninggim, a local elder in the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. His mother was Edith Gibbons, a daughter of Rev. John Gibbons, an itinerant minister in the same church. Reared as he was in a home where the bible was read and from whose altar the incense of daily prayer arose, it was no wonder that Jesse Cuninggim gave his heart to God in his eleventh year. He joined the church at Ormond's Chapel, where his parents were accustomed to worship. Just before he attained his majority he had a very narrow escape from drowning. In the presence of death he heard the voice of God calling him to go out into the world and tell the "Old, old story of Jesus and his love." For a time he hesitated to obey the call, but, in 1853, he received license to preach. Feeling that a call to preach means a call to prepare, a doctrine which he preached in all his counsels to young ministers, he entered Normal College in 1854. He was disappointed in that he was able to remain in this institution only one year. But he staid long enough for the tendrils of his heart to become wound around Trinity College, which he loved with an unfaltering devotion to the day of his death.

In November, 1855, he joined the North Carolina Conference. The following is the list of his appointments stretching through forty-three eventful years: 1855-7—Smithville circuit; 1858-9—Duplin circuit; 1860-1—Chapel Hill station; 1862-3—Wilson station; 1864-5—Rowan circuit; 1866-7-8-9—Louishburg station; 1870—Chapel Hill and Haw River circuit; 1871-2-3-4—Greensboro station; 1875-6-7-8—Agent for Greensboro Female College; 1879-80—Wilson station; 1881-2—Durham station; 1883-4—Fayetteville District; 1885-6-7-8—Greensboro District; 1889-90—Warrenton District; 1891-2-3-4—Raleigh District; 1895-6-7-8—Durham District.

In January, 1862, Dr. Cuninggim was married to Miss Lucy Armfield, of Statesville, N. C. From the time that these two stood before the marriage altar till the wife was left husbandless on these earthly shores, they formed a picture of conjugal love

as beautiful as that of Browning and his wife. They grew to be like each other, to have the same tastes and aspirations. They grew to be "Uncle Jesse" and "Aunt Lucy"—household characters in North Carolina Methodism.

During his last two years on the Durham District, it was clearly evident that Uncle Jesse was "wearing away to the land of the leal." The firm step had become feeble and the strong mind occasionally staggered as it pursued its line of thought, which ever tended Christward. With a cheerfulness of spirit which was almost sublime, he yielded to the inevitable, and at the last Conference he asked for a superannuated relation. He knew that the machinery of his heart was subject to a sudden stoppage, yet he hoped that he might sit for many hours in the golden light of life's sunset. But the old hero was wanted elsewhere, and the angels took him at the close of the beautiful winter Saturday of last January.

Great grief was felt all over the State when the news was sent abroad that "Uncle Jesse" was dead. The State had lost one of its best citizens. The Conference felt that one of its strongest pillars was removed. Strong men and women wept, and little children sobbed when they learned that this man of God was no more.

As a preacher, Dr. Cuninggim was strong and convincing. He was never accused of preaching anything else than the simple Gospel of Jesus Christ. This gospel he ever preached with convincing earnestness, often with overwhelming power. There are hundreds of his spiritual children all over the State to rise and call him blessed.

He had great influence in his Conference. His advice was always considered reliable. He was sent by his Conference to represent it in the highest councils of his Church. He was honored by Trinity College, of which he was for years a trustee. He was loved by all. He was an ideal Presiding Elder. He missed but few appointments. He observed method in all his personal and official transactions. He had a chamber in his heart for his every preacher, for whom he prayed by name. The slightest details of every point of his district were known to him—often when the pastor himself was ignorant.

Benevolence was one of his prime attributes. He made a gift of \$1,000 to Trinity College. He always seemed anxious to aid struggling young men in securing an education. For some time he and his wife supported a missionary in China. He gave more than the tenth of his income annually to the church.

It was one-fourth. It will be remembered that in the collections taken up at our Annual Conferences he was generally the first to respond—and always liberally.

One of the most beautiful features of his life was his cheerfulness. His face ever wore that brightness which comes from looking constantly on the "King in His beauty." No dispensation of Providence caused his face to become clouded or his tone to be querulous. In his life was exemplified the truth which through the long century has shown like a day-star on the sky of human experience. "Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace whose mind is stayed upon Thee." In his whole life he reflected as from a burnished mirror the glory of the Lord, and "passed from glory to glory," until in the beauty of the eternal morning, he awoke in the likeness of his King.

T. N. IVEY.

[Document No. 2.]

MEMOIR OF REV. T. B. REEKS.

REV. THOMAS BRANCH REEKS was born in Granville County, North Carolina, June 5th, 1825, married to Miss Anne E. Brame November, 1847, died at the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. John Brame, on the 10th of April, 1899, and was buried at the old Brame homestead near Macon, Warren County, North Carolina.

In boyhood he was deeply convicted at a prayer meeting and soundly converted to God. This conversion was as clear as the noonday sun—he never doubted it. He knew what experimental religion was—taught it in his family and preached it from the pulpit.

He believed the only way to reach heaven was in making a full surrender of self to God. He loved his God, his Bible and the Methodist Church.

He joined the N. C. Conference at Pittsboro, N. C., in 1854, at the early age of nineteen years and was sent as "Junior Preacher" to the Warren circuit.

In the midst of his ministerial usefulness he was affected with a throat trouble which necessitated his retirement for several years, resuming regular work in 1871, and serving various charges until the burdens of increasing age and feeble health called for superannuation, to which he gracefully submitted.

As a minister he was plain, earnest and scriptural, delighting to do his Master's work. He was made the honored instru-

ment in God's hands in gathering sheaves for the skies. He was gifted in prayer and seemed to get hold of God in every prayer. Like Moses, he was slow of speech, modest and unassuming in disposition and yet bold in preaching the truth, and he stood for what he believed right at all times.

He was a sincere man in all he said and did—true to his friends, and he cultivated the harmlessness of the dove to such an extent he had no enemies.

He was able to say in all things, "The will of God be done." I saw him in age and feebleness extreme when the fire had consumed his home and left him homeless but no word of complaint escaped his lips. Though long afflicted, he did not murmur, but obediently kissed the chastening rod; he recognized the fact that God was training him for heaven. I saw him frequently during his last illness, his trust was implicit, his faith sublime, his hope sure.

He was conscious that the shadows were gathering about his mortal life but he felt no fear. As sorrowing loved ones gathered about and the hand of affection strove to minister to him and love's listening ear bent over him he whispered, "It is not much to die for I shall still live." No more will his name be called at our annual gatherings but he has heard it called by his loving Master and has answered it on high.

He will no more receive appointments here of poor circuits and missions for he has a grand station in the City of God in the New Jerusalem.

We laid him beside his wife who years before preceded him to the "Glory Land" and with whom he is now united.

Sleep on brother until the trump of God calls you to receive that glorified body like our Lord's.

"Let me die the death of the righteous and let my last end be like his.

J. O. GUTHRIE.

[Document No. 3.]

MEMOIR OF REV. N. A. HOOKER.

REV. N. A. HOOKER passed away, from earth to heaven, on Wednesday, A. M., at 9 o'clock, June 7th, 1899, at his home, Kinston, N. C., surrounded by his devoted family. He attended church Sunday, and partook of the sacrament. His last official act was to pronounce the benediction, and on the morning of the third day following was in heaven. Brother Lee, his faith-

ful pastor, was with him a few minutes before he breathed his last, but he talked so cheerfully that he did not regard him so critically ill and that the death reaper was so near. He had given abundant evidence of his readiness to go. He suffered from erysipelas. He was in his 83rd year. To him to "live was Christ, to die was gain." He was born in Green County, N. C., 10th of October, 1816. He joined the N. C. Conference at Mocksville in 1840, and served the church faithfully for 48 years. He was no idler, and the people appreciated his services. Superannuated in 1888, owing to the failure of his health and feebleness. In early life he lacked academic advantages, having only the old field school training, but being blessed with a retentive memory, and studious habits, lost no time in idleness, but believing he was called to the work of the ministry, he applied himself assiduously to the acquisition of knowledge. His library consisted of his Bible, Wesley's sermons, Fletcher's Checks, Watson's Institutes, Church Discipline, and Webster's Dictionary, and what he learned he retained.

Inasmuch as there is a gap of five years, we refrain from an attempt to give his appointments in succession. Suffice it to say that he served the church faithfully to the time of his departure. He was a man of stalwart frame and commanding appearance and yet as simple as a child in his bearing towards his fellow man. In considering his preaching we would say it was truly exegetical in its character. From the announcement of the text there was a close adherence to its teachings, and often the peroration seemed to be super-human. One of our faithful men in writing of him says: "He preached and prayed with great power," and that is also our testimony. We have heard him when in the prime and vigor of his life and could see the effect upon those who were his auditors. He "preached the Word." His social gifts were of a high order, and in the private circle he never forgot his place, but exemplified what he preached, hence there was no levity in what he had to say.

At our last Conference, held in Elizabeth City, we domiciled under the same roof, and he, at times, would entertain us with some glowing reminiscences of early life and we felt better by having heard them. He was a true man in every sense of the word. A faithful husband, father and friend. He has left a precious memory that will not be forgotten. His life was an open book, and those who knew "him best loved him the most." He was married October 25th, 1845, to Miss Catherine H. Fulford, of Carteret County, N. C., (the writer of this tribute offi-

ciating) and she proved to be a help-meet indeed. She, four daughters, and two sons-in-law survive him. For their comfort we would say, he has simply gone before them and we trust they will follow him as he "followed Christ." God has given assurance that He will be the widow's friend and a father to the fatherless children. "Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord, from henceforth, yea saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labors and their works do follow them."

Bro. Hooker has gone from the foot of the cross to the crown of triumph which now encircles his brow—"thanks be to God which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ."

T. PAGE RICAUD.

[Document No. 4.]

MEMOIR OF REV. R. P. TROY.

ROBERT PRESTON TROY was born in Randolph County, N. C., July 13th, 1838, and died at his home in Greensboro, N. C., July 1st, 1899. He made a public profession of faith in Christ and joined the M. E. Church, South, before he was twelve years old. He graduated at Trinity College in 1860 and soon thereafter was elected principal of Olin High School in Iredell county. This position he held until 1861, when he resigned and volunteered as private in the Confederate army—but was soon after promoted to the rank of captain, making a gallant and efficient officer, and in the meantime a faithful Christian laborer among the soldiers. After the war Brother Troy devoted his life mainly to school teaching, having taught at Greensboro and Pleasant Garden—and later on was president of Murfreesboro Female College. Soon after he began to teach he was licensed to preach and as a local preacher did much effective work. In 1871 he was happily married to Miss Ella Bumpass, of Greensboro, N. C., who with seven children survives him. He joined the North Carolina Conference at Statesville in 1883, thus entering fully the work of the ministry. He served the following charges: 1884-5-6-7—Madison circuit; 1888-9-90—Ruffin circuit; 1891-2—Littleton circuit. In 1893 he was president of Murfreesboro Female College, but the college being destroyed by fire, he resumed again the regular pastorate and in 1894, '95 and '96 was stationed at Weldon. It was here during the year 1896 that he was stricken with paralysis and was obliged to give up active work. At the ensuing Annual Conference he asked for and obtained a superannuated relation. Though he partially recovered he never again regained his vigor.

From his boyhood Brother Troy was full of zeal and had an intense love for souls, and all through his useful life God gave him many souls for his hire. Wherever he labored the revival fires burned and the church was quickened into a higher life. His piety was of the highest type. His constant motto was "holiness unto the Lord." Calm and serene in spirit, he enjoyed the sweet assurance of Divine acceptance—and rejoiced continually in the presence of his Lord. All who came within the sphere of his holy life felt its sacred and uplifting influence. His happiest moments on earth were when he was leading sinners to Christ and encouraging and helping God's children towards heaven.

To him the end came suddenly, and no word of adieu greeted the loved ones who surrounded the dying saint. It needed no word then to tell that he was ready. His life from childhood until God took him was a constant declaration of his readiness.

His works and words still live. The influence of that gentle Christ like life will long linger to bless the church, and multitudes will rise up in that day to call him blessed who was instrumental in leading them to the Savior.

W. C. NORMAN.

(Document No. 5.]

MEMOIR OF REV. PETER L. HERMAN.

This devoted servant of God and worthy member of the North Carolina Conference of the M. E. Church, South, was born in Catawba county, N. C., February 22, 1833. His father died when he was quite a boy, and he was left to the care of a widowed mother. His parents were members of the German Reformed Presbyterian Church. In early manhood he was converted to Christ at a camp-meeting at Dry Pond, near the present town of Denver. With his conversion was born a determination to live and labor for Christ, a determination that never left him, but was with him until the hour his Lord called him to the glorified ranks of the saints in heaven. He joined the South Carolina Conference at Greenville, S. C., in 1859.

He served the following charges: Concord Circuit as junior preacher in 1860-1861; Newberry Circuit, 1862; Mapleton Circuit, 1863-64; Butler Circuit, 1865-66; Edgefield Circuit, 1867-68; Morganton, 1869; Lenoir Circuit, 1870-71-72; Newton Circuit, 1873-74; Thomasville and High Point, 1875-76-77-78; Smithfield, 1879-80; Reidsville Circuit, 1881; Hickory Circuit, 1882-83;

Lilesville Circuit, 1884; Snow Hill Circuit, 1885-86-87-88; Smithfield Circuit, 1889-90; Cary Circuit, 1891-92; Oxford Circuit, 1893-94; Warrenton Circuit, 1895 96-97; Littleton Circuit, 1898.

At our last Conference, owing to the poor state of his health, he took the superannuated relation, and lived with his family at Dunn, N. C. Here he died August 29, 1899. In 1863 he was married to Miss Frances H. Jay, of Abbeville, S. C. She and five daughters and one son survive him. The above gives the metes and bounds of his ministry that rounded up well-nigh forty years. What an age of uninterrupted service for Christ! What an honor was given him that he was authorized to stand up in the name of his Lord for forty years! What vast expansion came to the kingdom of Christ through his apostleship! What wealth came to the church and to the homes of men through his ministry! Brother Herman loved his calling. He loved his Lord; he loved the gospel; he loved to preach it. His own heart was thrilled with the message he delivered to the people. The truth of Christ glowed in his thought. He was happy when preaching. The sweet waters that he gave to others refreshed his own soul. The bread that he broke to the people nourished his own heart. He was always himself lifted up in spirit when he lifted up Christ. In preaching, he got vision of the beautiful things of our gospel that filled his soul with rapture. His was a happy ministry. He had the poetical temperament. His imagination was rich, luxuriant, but chaste. He was graceful in thought and in action. And the people heard him gladly. His ministry was fruitful in soul-winning and in comforting words to the saints. There are thousands in our great State that call him blessed. To me he was a very engaging and attractive preacher. He lived without reproach. He wore the white robe of his ministry without stain. He made his long career without change from the straight line that marks the high calling of the saint. He could appropriately have said with Paul, "For me to live is Christ."

There was no variableness, neither shadow of turning from his great life purpose, which was to win Christ, and to make full proof of his ministry. His entrance into the ministry was under the sincerest conviction of duty. He did not choose it as an avenue to fame. He was not seeking honor, and he never used his ministry for such an end. It was always to glorify his Lord. Hence, he was always happy in his work. One of the

last hymns he sang, with a voice tottering with weakness, was this :

“I love Thy Kingdom, Lord.”

Bro. Herman was a delightful companion. His many friends had much pleasure in his company. Many hours of pastime have I had with him, when the soul threw off all care and serious thought, and we were happy and frolicsome as in the innocent sports of childhood. He was a man of infinite jest. He had an eye keen as the hunter's for the ludicrous and grotesque in life. He saw things that the common eye never saw. His fund of anecdote was inexhaustible. His mind was richly stored with curious information. You always learned something from him. And in all his mirthful moods, and in all the plays of his humor, you never doubted his allegiance to his Lord or his compassion for his fellow-man. To me he was always innocent and beautiful as a child. His religion made him happy. His faith was very simple. Heaven was just as much a reality to him as the earth was. Christ was as real to him as any human friend. He could truthfully have uttered these words of Ray Palmer:

“Jesus, these eyes have never seen
That radiant form of Thine;
The veil of sense hangs dark between
Thy blessed face and mine.

I see Thee not, I hear Thee not,
Yet art Thou oft with me;
And earth hath ne'er so dear a spot
As where I meet with Thee.

Like some bright dream that comes unsought
When slumbers o'er me roll,
Thine image ever fills my thought,
And charms my ravished soul.”

His religion was positively experimental; his home life was sweet and beautiful; like the bee to his hive, the best of all that he had he carried to that charmed circle. Here were his dearest joys, and here he poured out the richest oblations of his love and sympathy.

His last days were days of suffering; the pain pierced him to the quick; yet he bore himself as the hero of many battles. He never thought that his Lord had turned against him. He did not dishonor his Lord by complainings and murmurings. He was happy under trial. He bore the afflicting hand of his God with patience. When the end came, there was great victory; it

was not death; it was only an incident in the onward career of an immortal spirit, passing to nobler tasks and to higher joys.

And there he awaits the coming of his brethren beloved in the toils of the way. We shall greet him again.

JOHN N. COLE.

[Document No. 6.]

MEMOIR OF REV. L. J. HOLDEN.

LUCIEN JEROME HOLDEN was born in Orange County, North Carolina, December 2nd, 1844, and was converted to God in 1872 at New Sharon Church in the same county, under the ministry of Dr. L. W. Crawford. His conversion was under rather unusual circumstances. He resisted the wooings of the spirit and determined to fight the battle out to the bitter end. Like Jonah, he fled from God, and undertook to ridicule the very sermon that brought him to Christ. But like Paul, when he caught the glorious vision of the Christ, his surrender was complete, absolute, and from that hour, to know Christ in the power of his resurrection and the fellowship of his sufferings, became the passion of his life.

He was licensed to preach soon after his conversion, and was received into the North Carolina Conference at Goldsboro December 11th, 1873. In December 1885, he was ordained deacon by Bishop McTyeire, and was ordained elder in 1877 by Bishop Doggett. In 1870 (before he entered the ministry) he was married to Miss Josephine Linke, of Orange County, who lived only a short while. In 1874 he was married to Mrs. Betty Hussey, of Rocky Mount, who shared the toils of his future ministry with him, and who still, with eight children, survives him.

His first appointment was at Nashville and Rocky Mount, which charge he served during the years 1874 and 1875. These two years were marked by great spiritual power and many souls were born into the kingdom of God under his earnest and tireless ministry. The impress of his consecrated life remains throughout the bounds of that charge unto this day. The fruits of his toil abide. Many rise up and call him blessed. In 1876-'77 and '78 he was appointed to the Rolesville circuit, where he was abundant in labors and won many souls for Christ. In 1879-'80-'81 and '82 he served the Henderson circuit. In 1883-'84-'85 and '86 the Roanoke circuit. In 1889 Littleton and Weldon. In 1890 Littleton circuit. In 1891-'92 and '93 Northampton circuit. In 1894-'95 and '96 Jonesboro circuit. In 1897-

'98 and part of '99 Snow Hill circuit. Thus for twenty-six years he received his appointments at the hands of the constituted authorities of our Church, and went forth like a true soldier to do valiant service. He always received his appointments with cheerfulness. However hard the field he never murmured. It was enough for him to know that he had a place in which to labor and that there were immortal souls to be won as trophies for his King. With a glad heart and willing mind he gave himself for more than a quarter of a century to unremitting, heroic toil—building up the Church and leading souls to Christ.

Brother Holden was one of our most effective men. Wherever he went he never failed to look after every interest of the work committed to his charge. He was a man of forceful intellect, having a legal turn of mind and good business capacity. He would have been a man of affairs had he devoted himself to any line of secular work. His sermons were pointed, earnest and evangelical. His magnetic social qualities drew the people to him and gave him enlarged influence for good. The entire course of his ministry was marked by gracious revivals, and hundreds now wait upon our altars who were won to Christ through his faithful labors. For the last few years his health had been gradually failing, though with unflagging zeal he continued to work. About a month before his death he was taken worse and it was evident his work was done.

On the 15th of July, 1899, at Snow Hill, N. C., he passed from the toils of the church on earth to the triumphs of the church above. Death invaded my heart's inner circle when he struck down L. J. Holden.

The writer owes more to him under God than any other man, living or dead. He led me to Christ when I was but a boy, took me into the church, gave me my first lessons in theology. He watched over my life as a babe in Christ with a brooding tenderness that had in it some of the watchfulness of a mother's love. I always regarded him as my father in Christ, and he always called me his son in the Gospel. Ah! as I think of him now the gates of memory are thrown back and the tides of the vanished years roll in upon me I see him, his tall, noble form standing there in the old box pulpit, his hair black as the raven's wing, his dark eyes flashing, his face transfigured by a light divine, shining as I think the face of Moses must have shone as he came from the awful presence of God, whilst the hearts of the great congregation melted under the music of a voice soft and sweet as the melody of waters. We shall hear that voice no more until we catch its sweeter notes, mingling

with the voices of the singing hosts of God as they meet upon the hills of Zion.

His remains were interred in the cemetery at Rocky Mount. Thus, after the arduous toils of many eventful years in the work he loved so well, his body was returned to rest amid the scenes of his first pastoral labors, and where, in life's early morning, the zealous young preacher won his first trophies for the Master,

Noble hero of many a well-fought battle, farewell! We shall miss thee, but not forget thee, and some day, through grace divine, we hope to greet thee in the banqueting house of the Father and eat bread together at the feet of God.

R. C. BEAMAN.

[Document No. 7.]

MEMOIR OF REV. JOHN TURNER ABERNETHY.

The subject of this memoir was born in Catawba County, N. C., July 15, 1850, and died in Enfield, N. C., October 5, 1899. He was the son of Rev. R. L. Abernethy, D. D., late President of Rutherford College, and was educated in that institution, graduating with high honors. He was then elected to the chair of Greek and Latin, in which capacity he served for a number of years with honor to himself and to his Alma Mater.

He was converted and joined the church early in life. He was licensed to preach while serving as professor in Rutherford College. On the death of Rev. J. S. Erwin, in 1881, he was appointed to fill out his unexpired term on King's Mountain Circuit, and was received into the North Carolina Conference that same year at Durham.

He served the following charges in the order named: King's Mountain Circuit, Rutherfordton Circuit, Alexander Circuit, Snow Hill Circuit, Carteret Circuit, and Halifax Circuit.

He was ordained Deacon by Bishop Keener, at Statesville, in 1883, and was ordained Elder by the same Bishop in Charlotte in 1885.

He was married March 15th, 1870, to Anna Martha Scott, of Burke County, N. C., who, with five sons and three daughters, survives him.

Brother Abernethy was a man richly endowed by nature, having an intellect of unusual strength, and being blessed with fine opportunities, he had cultivated his native powers until he had developed into a man of great mental strength, and when at his best, he ranked among the ablest preachers of the State.

In his deportment he was as gentle as a woman and as humble as a child. He was one of the sweetest-spirited men I have ever known. It was helpful to associate with him.

His growth in spirituality and resignation to the will of the Master impressed me much during the year. I believe he had been for months ripening for the better world. His pathway through life has not always been smooth. He was called to pass over many rough places, and the shadows were often upon him. He suffered much, mentally and physically, during the last few years of his life.

As I stood by his dying bed and saw him as he gently breathed his life away, I thought of the transition through which he was passing, from a world of darkness and sin and sorrow and suffering to a world of glorious light and endless joy and heavenly music. The sound of seraph's wings and the music of harps swept by angels' fingers could be imagined.

"So fades a summer cloud away,
So sinks the gale when storms are o'er,
So gently shuts the eye of day;
So dies a wave along the shore."

J. E. UNDERWOOD.

[Document No. 8.]

MEMOIR OF WILLIAM H. BRANSON, ESQ.

The Memorial service of an Annual Conference is an hour of mingled sadness and joy. Sad because it gives emphasis to the broken ranks of the Church; joyous because it calls in view the triumphs of our faith as illustrated in the records of those who have gone to their rewards. While WILLIAM HENRY BRANSON was not a preacher, yet all of us recognized him, in a high and true sense, as a noble leader. It is therefore fitting that in this sacred hour he should occupy our attention, and that we should pay this last tribute to his memory.

Thomas Branson, his father, was twice married, the first time to Miss Mary Lewellyn, the second time to Mrs. Prescott. William, who was born May 23, 1860, was the only child by this second wife. His parents were noted for strength of character, vigor of mind and physical energy. There was nothing in the social atmosphere of their home to dissipate the sincerity of these characteristics. Their son inherited them all, and thus got a good start in life. William was only twelve years old

when his father died. He then became a member of the family of Mr. J. A. Odell, of Greensboro, N. C., who had married Miss Jennie Prescott, his half sister. Their fidelity to him, and his obedience to them, furnished the richest opportunity for the development of a strong life. His Methodist parents, by precept and example, laid in him the foundations of faith in God, and this faith was nursed in the Odell home, when at the age of seventeen years it brought him to the mysteries of a regenerated life. He joined the church of his parents, and in all his church relations was upright, faithful and energetic.

Measured by the standards of schoolmen, his education was limited. Nature had, however, endowed him with large mental powers, and from the earliest he seemed to have supreme control over these faculties. Everything to him was an educator, and from every source he gathered into himself truth and inspiration, and thus he became in the truest sense an educated man.

In his business enterprises he attained rare success. Beginning at what men call the bottom round, he became a leader in the business world. This success was not attained by any questionable methods, for behind every dollar he accumulated, every enterprise he projected, and every business he superintended, there was an uncompromising integrity and the energy of a strong hand. He is another witness to the truth that large success is not hindered by loyalty to the church and fidelity to God. In the business world he bore high testimony to our Christian religion.

No man ever had a truer and more beautiful home life than William Branson. On December 17, 1885, he was married to Miss Clara Sargent, of Greensboro, N. C. They married because they loved each other. Their two lives flowed, as if by divine direction, into that mystical union ordained of God, where each was lost in a deeper and holier identity. The more they learned of each other the deeper became their love, and as children came into their home, the stronger grew their faith in God. The atmosphere of the home circle was one of reverent faith and hallowed affections. Against the claims of his family no worldly pleasures or business interests could attract him. His last thoughts were directed to the comfort of his wife and children. Up through distressing pain and torture his mind rose in an effort to comfort them.

The church and the world knew the value of this man and sought him. As a member of those boards that have the control of the most important and intricate business, he was faith-

ful, not holding these places as places of honor, nor degrading them to stepping stones upon which he might rise to some selfish gratification. They were in every sense places of responsibility and he gave to them his best thought and wisest direction. He had a commanding place in all these boards, and the smallest detail of business was watched with jealous care. As Treasurer of the Joint Board of Finance of our Conference we all had an opportunity to know him. With a real joy he left his great enterprises to attend the sessions of the Conference. He took up his work with a serious earnestness, and day and night labored till he had performed all of his responsible duties to the church which he loved.

This generation of preachers cannot forget the smiling face, loving heart and warm hand that always greeted them even in the midst of his work. He loved the preachers of the North Carolina Conference and had faith in their wisdom. In private discussions about unsolved problems he always declared that the North Carolina Conference would do the right thing. Those of you who have served him as pastors know the fidelity with which he not only looked after the business affairs of his church, but bowed at the altar by the side of broken-hearted penitents in the simplicity of faith, and struggled with them that they might know the way to God.

William Henry Branson was a noble man. His nobility was the nobility of godliness. In personal appearance he had every mark of a royal spirit. Before him seemed to open a future, full of usefulness and success, and about him the church was gathering with implicit confidence, but in a moment all was ended. On the 24th day of March, 1899, by a shocking accident, he was taken from us. Happy is that man who, in an engine room, examining new machinery, is prepared to meet his God; and William Branson was as well prepared in that hour as he had been on the last Sunday morning he sat in his pew and heard his pastor preach the Gospel.

We cherish his memory as a divine gift, and gather from his record an inspiration to greater fidelity.

JOHN C. KILGO.

[Document No. 9.]

MEMOIR OF HENRY CLAY WALL. Esq.

HENRY CLAY WALL, son of Mial and Mary Wall, was born four miles west of Rockingham, N. C., June 10th, 1841, and died at Blowing Rock, N. C., July 31st, 1899. His parents

when he was quite young made Rockingham their temporary home that they might be convenient to a school for their children. Later they returned to their old homestead where they remained the remainder of their lives.

The subject of this sketch continued in school at Rockingham Academy for some time, and then went to Randolph-Macon College, and in 1859 he entered the University of North Carolina. When the signal of war was heard, he laid aside his text books and returned home to fight in defence of his country.

He joined the Pee Dee Guard, and on the 27th of June, 1861, left for Virginia in the Twenty-third North Carolina Regiment. His parents thought him too delicate for the hardships of a soldier's life, and his father greatly needed his services at home, so he hired a substitute and Clay returned home; not to remain long, for soon he joined the cavalry where he did his full duty. It is said that none advanced farther within the enemies lines or remained longer or fought more gallantly than did he.

On October 28th, 1874, he married Miss Mary Francis Leak, daughter of Col. J. W. and Mrs. Ann C. Leak. His widow and two children survive him. For a number of years he was editor and proprietor of the "Rockingham Rocket," a weekly paper. For the work of an editor he was well fitted by nature and culture. He wrote well and with ease. He had a poetic mind.

He had large means, owning farms, and being a stockholder and director in all the cotton factories in and near Rockingham, N. C. For about forty years he was a member of the M. E. Church, South. He was an official of the Church and faithful in the performance of duty. He was often elected delegate to the Annual Conference, and was always present and ready to do any work assigned him. He is missed by his family, by the Church, the services of which he so regularly attended, and to the support of which he so largely contributed. Many poor ones miss his bountiful hand. He was honored and loved wherever his worth was known.

May the Lord sanctify his removal from us to the good of us all!

F. M. SHAMBURGER.

[Document No. 10.]

MEMOIR OF L. W. McMULLAN, ESQ.

LUCULLUS WALKER McMULLAN was born in Greene County, Va., June 20th, 1843, and died at his home in Hertford, N. C., Sunday, October 8th, 1899, in the 57th year of his age.

In December, 1860, his father, Rev. Jeremiah McMullan, late of the Virginia Conference, M. E. Church, South, was assigned to the Hertford Circuit, then in the Virginia Conference; immediately after Conference he moved to Hertford with his entire family, except one daughter who was married, and who died only a few days before the subject of this Memoir left us for his home above, thus breaking the first link in the golden chain of love that had bound together in most ardent attachment five brothers and four sisters for nearly forty years.

In the latter part of the first year of the war between the States, Bro. McMullan enlisted in the service of his beloved South-land, and bravely, faithfully, and fearlessly followed the varying fortunes of the "Stars and Bars" until that flag was furled at Appomattox.

At the close of the war he returned to his home in Hertford, N. C., and formed a business copartnership with Mr. Z. Toms for the manufacture of buggies, carriages, etc., under the firm name of Toms & McMullan; they began business without capital, but by close application, pluck and energy, they passed safely over the rough seas of the first few years, and out into the broad, placid sea of success and prosperity. Their copartnership continued through a period of thirty-four years, and ended only on the death of Bro. McMullan.

He was twice married, first to Miss Mary N. Reed, who died in 1882. To this union five children were born, three of whom are now living, and members of the church the father loved so much. Some years after the death of his first wife, he was again married, to Miss Pauline Lewis; to this happy union two children were born; both died in the sweet innocence of infancy, so that while precious ties were rudely broken on earth in his death, other precious ties—broken long ago—were reunited in "the far-away home of the good."

He was soundly converted to God in early manhood, under the ministry of his father, and united with the M. E. Church, South, in Hertford, N. C., within whose pales he remained until death, serving his God in and through service to the church, with great zeal and fidelity, in almost constant official capacity, and in almost every position in which a layman could serve, representing his Church in Quarterly, District and Annual Conference. At the time of his death he was Steward, Sunday School Superintendent, Trustee of Church and Parsonage, and member of the Annual Conference Board of Education.

Bro. McMullan was a true, wise and helpful friend to his pastor. The secret was, he sincerely and deeply loved God and

His church, therefore he gladly held up the hands of His ministering servants, and honestly tried to help them to the highest degree of success.

This writer never had a truer friend than L. W. McMullan. Soon after we were assigned to the Hertford Circuit I received a long, friendly letter from him, full of expressions of brotherly kindness and willingness to co-operate with his pastor in any and all church work. Among others, he met us at the depot when we came to the charge, and it was in his buggy and by his side that I was carried to the parsonage. On arriving at the parsonage he said: "I am the son of a Methodist preacher, I know how it is, here are ten dollars on quarterage," and this kindness and helpfulness to his pastor was not indulged in by fits and starts, but was as steady and constant as the beatings of his own heart, and ceased only when his great, good heart ceased to pulsate with life.

On Monday, October 9th, his funeral service was held from Hertford Methodist Church, conducted by the writer; the church was simply packed from pulpit to door, and large numbers were unable to find room to either sit or stand within the church. Such an outpouring of the people, young and old, white and black, good and bad, had not been witnessed in this community in many years, and no wonder, for he was indeed a genuine friend to all. All through the vast congregation, during the funeral service, heads were bowed and eyes unused to weeping, were baptized with tears. After the service in the church, his remains were borne to Cedarwood Cemetery, and there tenderly laid by the side of his sleeping wife, and near his sleeping mother and four children, to rest until called by the Master in the last great day.

J. A. HORNADAY.

[Document No. 11.]

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

The Committee on Books and Periodicals begs leave to submit the following report :

We have had before us the report of our Publishing House, Messrs. Barbee and Smith, Agents, and make therefrom the following extract :

TO THE BISHOP AND MEMBERS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE
OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, SOUTH :

BRETHREN : The following exhibit will show you the state of the Publishing House of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and the result of its business for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1899 :

EXHIBIT.

Total business from all departments	\$350,416 29
From the above volume of business we have a gain in assets of.	40,144 19
Cash on hand April 1, 1899.....	\$ 25,518 41
Nashville City and Street Railway Bonds.....	175,000 00
Postage Stamps.....	467 66

Total cash April 1, 1899..... \$200,986 07

ASSETS.

Total assets March 31, 1899..... \$911,685 20

LIABILITIES.

Outstanding bond.....	\$ 25 00
Amount on deposit by Treasurers of Sunday School Boards	3,233 42
Over-payments on the part of customers.....	2,557 99
On deposit.....	3,380 48—
Total debt April 1, 1899.....	9,196 89
Capital as per Ledger	\$902,488 31

We rejoice in the continued prosperity of the House, and earnestly request the brethren to do all they can to aid it in the publication and circulation of pure, religious, literature.

First of all we would call attention to THE CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE, our connectional organ. It is an excellent paper, ably edited, and deserves a much larger circulation than it has. We earnestly request the members of Conference, both clerical and lay, to aid in securing subscribers.

"The Methodist Review," "The Missionary Review," "The Woman's

Missionary Advocate," "The Epworth Era," "The Little Worker," and "The Sunday School Magazine," are all ably edited, full of information, and greatly useful in their respective lines of work.

RALEIGH CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE.

(1) With faith in God and the Church, a year ago the RALEIGH CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE was launched upon the uncertain sea of journalism. The results have justified the venture. It is well known that the management has given to the Church a paper eminently satisfactory. THE ADVOCATE under the editorship of Rev. T. N. Ivey, D. D., has been clean, capable, loyal to the Church, and spiritual.

(2). We recommend the appointment of Rev. T. N. Ivey as editor for the ensuing year.

(3). We also pledge our hearty support to the paper and will earnestly endeavor to increase its circulation.

(4). We understand that there is still a very large amount due the paper in the hands of subscribers. We recommend that our preachers make a special effort to collect this and send to the paper not later than January 15th, 1900.

(5). We recommend that the Conference invest two thousand (\$2,000) dollars of its Trust Fund in the RALEIGH CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE COMPANY, and that the stock be increased to the full ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars.

(6). We recommend that the report of the special "Committee for the establishment of an organ for the N. C. Conference" be incorporated in our minutes and preserved as the connecting link in the history of the paper.

Respectfully submitted,

W. W. ROSE, Chairman.

N. M. WATSON, Secretary.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF AN ORGAN FOR THE
N. C. CONFERENCE.

Your committee appointed at the last session of the N. C. Conference, in accordance with the statement of Rev. L. W. Crawford, D. D., the Editor and principal owner of the N. C. CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE, that said paper could no longer support two editors, and in compliance with his further suggestion that the North Carolina Conference purchase a half interest in the N. C. CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE, beg leave to submit their report as follows:

The task placed upon your committee was one of very great difficulty. Whilst the sentiment of the Conference was very decided that a new ADVOCATE should be established, it seemed to be equally decided that no action

should be taken that did not look to the full protection of the interests of Dr. Crawford, and the other owners of the ADVOCATE, and to a settlement satisfactory to them.

The committee, in obedience to this sentiment, accepted the figures suggested by Dr. Crawford, and named by the Conference, as a basis for settlement, namely, \$6,500 for a one-half interest in the N. C. CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE.

Several interviews with Dr. Crawford developed the fact that the N. C. CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE COMPANY owed \$1,500, and also that the plant of the Company had depreciated in value to the extent of \$1,000.

From the total value placed upon the paper by Dr. Crawford, \$13,000, we, therefore, claimed a reduction of \$2,500, covering these two items, making the present appraised value only \$10,500. The N. C. CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE COMPANY agreed to accept the plant at the valuation of \$2,400, suggested by the Editor.

Deducting this amount from the appraised value, \$10,500, there was left, as the value of the entire property, only \$8,100. Upon this valuation, the one half interest to be purchased by the North Carolina Conference would cost, say, \$4,050.

From the standpoint of the Conference, the committee regarded this as an equitable settlement. These figures were not agreed to by Dr. Crawford, and his attorney, Hon. F. C. Robbins, they insisting that the subscription list of the N. C. Conference was more valuable than that of the W. N. C. Conference.

The committee, having before been informed by Rev. Dr. Ivey and by Rev. W. L. Grissom, who were both familiar with the ADVOCATE, that such was the case, and believing the N. C. Conference earnestly desired an amicable settlement, acceded to this demand made by Dr. Crawford, and agreed to allow the sum of \$612 50, as the value of the N. C. Conference subscription list, over that of the W. N. C. Conference list. Adding this amount, the valuation of the one-half interest, as represented by the entire N. C. Conference subscription list, was fixed at \$4,662.50

This amount, it was agreed, should be paid to the N. C. CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE COMPANY, for the entire subscription list of the N. C. Conference, and for the good will of the old RALEIGH ADVOCATE, as far as it might be owned by the N. C. CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE COMPANY. But, out of this amount was first to be reserved sufficient to retire the stock in the N. C. CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE COMPANY, owned by parties residing within the bounds of the N. C. Conference, at about its value, that being as near as could be determined, about 75 per cent. of its face.

Of this stock there was \$2,500. To retire this would require \$1,875. The payment of this would leave the amount to be paid to Dr. Crawford and the other owners of the ADVOCATE the sum of \$2,787 50. We regarded this as exceedingly liberal, but Dr. Crawford still demurred and then proposed to settle for \$3,000 cash, and the retirement of those of his stockholders heretofore referred to. Still desirous of an amicable settlement, the committee conceded this point, and agreed to recommend the acceptance of this final proposition.

Having succeeded after continued effort in reaching this point of settlement with the N. C. CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE COMPANY, there remained yet another serious difficulty in the way.

The Conference had instructed the establishment of an Organ, but had provided no funds for carrying out its wishes. Diligent effort was made, and aid solicited throughout the Conference, but men who had money were not willing to invest in an enterprise of this kind, where so much was paid for the good will, which, as was claimed, was already the property of the N. C. Conference. Finally however, a stock Company was organized with a capital of \$10,000, of which \$6,000 has been issued. This includes the stock issued to the stockholders of the N. C. CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE COMPANY, within the bounds of the N. C. Conference, to whom full paid stock was issued in the new Company, one share for each share of their holdings in the old Company.

With this Company, your committee has arranged for the publication of the RALEIGH CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE, upon the terms fixed by the Conference. The Editor is to be elected by the Conference, and he is to control the editorial policy of the paper, as long as the Conference shall continue to adopt it as its official organ. There were many difficulties in the way of the new enterprise, but these have been largely overcome, and a paper is being published which reflects credit on our Conference.

To properly equip itself, however, and put it in position to do the best service, the capital of the Company should be increased to the full \$10,000, and your committee recommends, and earnestly urges, that this Conference as a Conference or through its individual members, or both, shall put this additional \$4,000 into the Company.

The reports of the Company make a very gratifying exhibit, and the Editor and the Management feel assured of the continued success of the paper. Your committee recommends, therefore, that this Conference should take, in its own name, not less than \$2,000 of the additional stock.

Your committee has given this matter much careful thought, and beg to

submit this settlement as the best that could be made under existing conditions, and ask that they now be discharged.

W. C. NORMAN.

Jos. G. BROWN.

A. M. POWELL.

N. B. HARKER.

WASHINGTON, N. C., Dec. 8th, 1899.

N. M. WATSON.

[Document No. 12.]

REPORT OF BOARD OF MISSIONS No. 1.

The Board of Missions, as instructed by you, beg leave to report on the question of Mormonism as follows :

WHEREAS, An organization called "The Church of the Latter Day Saints," representing a form of so-called religious life, holds and teaches doctrines contrary to the Word of God, and to the purity and well-being of the home and are degrading to womanhood; and

WHEREAS, The spirit and policy of that organization is a menace to our civil institutions; and

WHEREAS, The State of Utah, in violation of a solemn agreement to forever renounce and prohibit polygamy, as a condition of attaining to Statehood, have elected one Brigham H. Roberts, who is charged with being a polygamist, to the Congress of the United States; therefore,

RESOLVED 1st, That we heartily endorse the action of Congress in its endeavor to prevent said Roberts from becoming a member of that body, and urge, that if he is by law entitled to a seat, that he be expelled from that body.

RESOLVED 2nd, That we petition that honorable body to take steps to secure an amendment to the Constitution of the United States prohibiting polygamy within our borders

RESOLVED 3rd, That we urge our people not to countenance, or aid the Mormon Missionaries in any way, either by entertaining them in their homes or by accepting their literature, or hearing them preach.

RESOLVED 4th, That a telegram be sent to Mr. Taylor, leader of the opposition in Congress to the seating of Roberts, informing him of the action of this body.

F. D. SWINDELL, Chairman.

N. H. D. WILSON, Secretary

(Document No. 13.)

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BIBLE CAUSE.

Your Committee on the Bible Cause would respectfully submit to this Conference the following report :

1st. This is an age of reading and investigation along every line of thought, and we are grateful for it, but no book or books can be substituted for the Holy Scriptures, the importance, therefore, of encouraging our people to secure for themselves a copy of God's word, cannot be too strongly emphasized.

2nd. We rejoice to learn that the Bible has been translated by the American Bible Society into many of the languages and dialects of the people in our foreign fields.

3rd. And we recommend that our pastors, as far as practicable, purchase and keep on hand a number of Bibles and Testaments, that they may be able to supply our people with the Word of God at minimum cost.

4th. And we also recommend that collections be taken in all our pastoral charges, as the discipline requires, for the benefit of the American Bible Society.

A. D. BETTS, Chairman.

C. W. ROBINSON, Secretary.

(Document No. 14.)

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS.

The Committee on District Conference Records beg leave to report that they have examined the Records of the Durham, Raleigh, Rockingham, Wilmington, Elizabeth City, New Berne, Fayetteville and Warrenton Districts and find them neatly and correctly kept, except that the Record of the Raleigh District does not state who presided at the different meetings, and the minutes of the Wilmington and Elizabeth City District Records are not signed by the Presiding Elder. The Records of the Washington District were not laid before us.

M. S. DAVIS, Chairman.

E. C. SELL, Secretary.

[Document No. 15.]

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SABBATH OBSERVANCE.

Realizing that the Christian Sabbath is fundamental to the well being both of the Church and society, and believing that it is in peculiar peril at the present stage of the world's progress, we therefore

RESOLVE, 1ST. That we exhort all our preachers to abstain from all appearance of Sabbath desecration for "like priest like people."

RESOLVED, 2ND. We suggest to our preachers that they preach oftener upon this vital subject and to insist that our people abstain from riding on Sunday trains, reading Sunday newspapers, getting their mail on the Sabbath, going on Sunday excursions, and that they be careful not to make the day a day of pleasure by visiting, bicycle riding, &c.

RESOLVED, 3RD. We would urge our people who are parents that to them more than to any one else is committed the keeping of this precious heritage, and they may help the Church perpetuate for ourselves and coming generations this gracious boon to our race by instilling into the minds of their children both by precept and example reverence for the Lord's day.

Respectfully submitted,

G. B. PERRY, Chairman.

W. W. ROSE, Secretary.

[Document No. 16.]

REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE AND OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE ORPHANAGE.

The committee appointed at the last Conference on Methodist Orphanage and Superannuated Preachers Home, begs leave to report.

The committee met in the city of Raleigh, December 23rd, 1898. Present, J. N. Cole, Jos. G. Brown, Col. E. J. Parrish, and J. W. Jenkins. J. W. Jenkins was elected chairman and Jos. G. Brown secretary and treasurer.

The first business was the selection of a site.

Raleigh was unanimously chosen.

It was decided to appeal to the citizens of Raleigh to give us the site. The chairman was directed to write to a large number of influential Methodists to meet in Raleigh on the 2nd of February to devise ways and means for the launching of the institution, and that we call a mass-meeting of the citizens of Raleigh in order to present our claims to them. One dollar, the gift of Rev. W. W. Rose, was paid to the treasurer.

The letters were written. The 2nd day of February arrived. There were present at this meeting Rev. W. C. Norman, Jos. G. Brown and J. W. Jenkins. Brother Brown read a note from that big-hearted Baptist, John T. Pullen, saying that he would give us one hundred dollars. The chairman reported a donation of eight hundred dollars. Two other subscriptions of fifty dollars each were made then. We thanked God and took courage. Our mass-meeting was spoiled by a mass-meeting of the citizens in the interest of Raleigh's new charter.

We then determined to bring it before the Chamber of Commerce. They

showed us great kindness, and undertook to raise the amount necessary to purchase the site. By their energy and zeal they raised in subscriptions three thousand and thirty dollars. They greatly helped us in many ways. The thanks of the whole Church is due them. The site was purchased. It is situated to the Northwest of the city, just outside the corporate limits—a beautiful site of about forty acres. After visiting the grounds with Brother Brown, Stanhope Wynn and the Chairman, that grand old Christian gentleman, A. F. Page, said: "I will give you now one hundred dollars on the site, one thousand on the buildings and five thousand on endowment." We thanked God and took courage again. The time had arrived for organization under our charter. So the Board of Trustees was called together and the whole matter was turned over to them and our committee was merged into that.

The Board will make its report later.

Respectfully submitted,

J. W. JENKINS, Chairman.

The Trustees of the Orphanage beg to report to the Conference that this new enterprise of the Church, which has been committed to their care, has met with great favor among all our people, and they feel that its success is assured. More than \$10,000 have been contributed during the past year. It is confidently expected that before another Conference convenes the first building will have been erected, and the work begun of caring for the needy orphans in our Church.

Two vacancies have occurred in our Board during the year—one by resignation, the other by the death of that noble-hearted layman, Mr. A. F. Page, whose generous donation of \$6,000 to the Orphanage has enabled us to make so gratifying a report to this Conference. The Trustees desire to record their high appreciation of this gift, and to give expression to their sense of the great loss that both the Church and the State have sustained in the death of Mr. Page.

We recommend that Mr. R. N. Page, of Biscoe, and Mr. J. A. Long, of Person, be elected as Trustees.

We would further suggest,

First. That this Conference request the Bishop to appoint Rev. J. W. Jenkins as Agent for the Orphanage, without other work, at a salary to be fixed by the Board of Trustees.

Second. That the 2nd Sunday in March, or on circuits the nearest convenient Sunday thereto, be fixed as "Orphanage Day," and that special collections be taken in all the churches and Sunday Schools for this purpose.

Your Board would be glad to see our Orphanage receive the patronage and support of the entire body of our Methodism in North Carolina.

Situated in the Capital of our State and near to the heart of all good citizens of our Commonwealth, we would gladly see the membership of our entire Methodism united in their devotion to this noble institution. We therefore request that the Secretary of this Conference be instructed to extend to our brethren in the bounds of the Western North Carolina Conference a warm and cordial invitation to have fellowship with us in this good work and assure them of the pleasure we shall have in receiving their kindly aid and in caring for their orphan children.

JOS. G. BROWN, Secretary.

(Document No. 17.)

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MISSIONS. No. 2.

During the past year we have aided 39 circuits and stations in the bounds of our Conference. Great good has been done, whereof we are glad. But your Board stands face to face with crying needs which can only be met by large liberality on the part of the Church. In addition to our scattered rural population, we have an ever increasing number of factory operatives. In view of the other claims, we did not feel that we could increase the assessment for Domestic Missions; but we beg every presiding elder and every preacher to do his best to bring up full assessments for this great work.

Not less urgent is the claim from the regions beyond. We must advance. Our assessments remain the same, but let strive to bring them up in full. We suggest that each presiding elder, keeping in mind the weak charges, raise in his district at large, a sinking fund to supplement them. Other conferences have districts which pay in full. Why not ours?

As our zeal and success will depend largely upon our knowledge, we urge every preacher to subscribe for the Methodist Review of Missions, and to put it in all of the houses of his people.

During the year our receipts have been as follows :

	FOREIGN MISSIONS.		DOMESTIC MISSIONS.	
	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.
Raleigh District.....	\$1,700 00	\$1,109 70	\$1,085 00	\$ 728 03
Durham District.....	1,674 00	1,524 92	1,071 00	992 80
Fayetteville District....	1,304 00	1,002 49	833 00	577 42
Rockingham District	1,375 00	1,077 80	879 00	661 80
Wilmington District	1,513 00	913 22	966 00	570 93
New Berne District.....	1,657 00	1,351 27	1,058 00	857 30
Washington District.....	1,742 00	1,042 30	1,113 00	747 30
Warrenton District.	1,707 00	1,163 00	1,000 00	728 23
Elizabeth City District.....	1,728 00	1,346 53	1,105 00	914 94
Total.....	\$14,400 00	\$10,531 23	\$9,200 00	\$5,778 95

At our anniversary on Saturday night a collection was taken up to pay the expenses of Rev. John C. Wooten to his charge upon the Pacific Coast and \$111 97 was raised.

The assessments for 1900 are the same as for the past year. See above table.

For 1900 we have granted the following appropriations :

RALEIGH DISTRICT.

Brooklyn and Epworth.....	\$300 00
Kenly.....	150 00

DURHAM DISTRICT.

Chapel Hill.. ..	\$350 00
Car Church and Branson.....	100 00
West Durham and Cuninggim	175 00
Haw River, Graham and East Burlington.....	150 00

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

Campbellton and Rose Chapel.....	\$200 00
Siler City.....	100 00
Dunn.....	100 00
Newton Grove.....	170 00
Cape Fear.....	200 00
Lillington.....	30 00

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT.

Red Springs	\$125 00
Sneeds Grove.....	125 00
Montgomery.....	150 00
Star.....	75 00

NEW BERNE DISTRICT.

St. Johns... ..	\$150 00
Grifton.....	200 00
Core Sound.....	175 00
Mt. Olive.....	100 00

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

Ayden.....	\$200 00
Grimesland and Vanceboro.....	75 00
Washington Circuit.....	100 00
Conetoe.....	100 00
South Rocky Mount and Marvin.....	300 00
Spring Hope.....	100 00
Ocracoke and Portsmouth.....	100 00

WARRENTON DISTRICT.

Roanoke Rapids.....	\$100 00
Battleboro and Whitakers	100 75
Scotland Neck.....	375 00
Hobgood.....	175 00
Williamston	125 00

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

Market Street	\$250 00
Bladen Street.....	300 00
Scotts Hill.....	150 00
Carvers Creek.....	50 00
Whiteville.....	100 00
Atlantic.....	100 00
Zion	50 00

ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT.

South Camden... ..	\$150 00
Pantego	100 00
Columbia.....	150 00
Kitty Hawk.....	200 00
Hatteras.....	100 00

We would recommend the election of Dr. F. D. Swindell and Jos. G. Brown, Esq., as official representatives from the North Carolina Conference to the Ecumenical Conference of Missions.

We rejoice to learn that Dr. B. O. Hester and wife, from within the borders of our Conference, have gone to Mexico as missionaries under our General Board. Upon them and our other representatives in the foreign field we invoke God's blessing.

F. D. SWINDELL, President.

N. H. D. WILSON, Secretary.

REPORT OF THE WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE, FROM DECEMBER, 1898, TO DECEMBER, 1899.

Number of Auxiliaries.....	112
Number of Adult members.....	2,280
Number of Auxiliaries organized during the year.....	7
Number of Adult members added during the year.....	200
Number of Young People and Juvenile Societies	55
Number of Young People and Juvenile Societies organized.....	2

Number of members added.....	80
Total members, Adult and Juvenile.	3,900
Number of life members.....	31
Lectureship.....	1
Number of subscribers to Woman's Missionary Advocate.....	390
Number of subscribers to Little Worker.....	205

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Dues.....	\$2,112 30
Pledges.....	684 87
Mary Black Memorial.....	329 56
Special Memorial.....	35 00
Scholarship.....	80 00
Twentieth Century Fund.....	36 25
Missionary Candidate Fund	212 44
Conference Expense Fund.....	216 10
Cuban Fund.....	5 25
Total.....	\$3,711 52

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. F. D. SWINDELL,
Conference Corresponding Secretary Woman's Foreign
Missionary Society, North Carolina Conference.

[Document No. 18.]

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Your Board has had under careful consideration the educational interests of our Zion. We are duly conscious of its importance as a factor in the uplifting and saving of the race. This is in thorough accord with the traditions of our Methodism. She was born in the atmosphere of culture—that culture under the influence and control of the Spirit of God, and it has been her purpose and mission to carry forward the work of God in the world under this two-fold idea. In her institutions of learning Christ must be as truly enthroned as in her pulpits. If Christ is “The Truth,” as our Bible declares, then no education which ignores him can be true. Your Board therefore desires to make its plea in behalf of a positively Christian education, and insist that nothing short of this can meet the imperative demands of this age. In this demand we do not lower the standard of mental culture. Religion is not inconsistent with the highest learning. We rather affirm that education in order to be Christian must be honest, and in

consequence demands the most thorough culture of the mental powers. Christian education must therefore stand for thoroughness in opposition to any popular demand that may arise for lowering the standard in order to catch the multitude. In accordance with this idea, we desire to express ourselves in hearty accord with the General Board of Education in its efforts to correlate the institutions of Southern Methodism, and to demand a uniformly high grade of educational work.

UNIVERSITIES.

VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY.

We are rejoiced to know of the continued prosperity of this noble institution. It is the one great university of Southern Methodism. We gladly accord to it its own unique place among our institutions of learning, and rejoice with it on account of its recent legacy of \$50,000 from the estate of the late Mr. Cornelius Vanderbilt. We heartily commend it to the kindly consideration of all our people. Especially do we urge the claims of its Biblical Department upon our young men who are preparing for the Christian ministry. The Board also desires to commend its endowment among the things to which donors may direct their contributions to the Twentieth Century Thank Offering.

COLLEGES.

TRINITY COLLEGE.

We note with deep gratitude to Almighty God the wonderful growth of this institution. It is the choice educational child of North Carolina Methodism, and is the finest and best equipped college plant in the Southern States. We are glad to note an increased attendance of 27 over the corresponding time of last year, the registration to date being 217. Among the improvements pointed out by the report of the Trustees, we note the following:

The number of men composing the Faculty has been increased. The teaching force now numbers 25 professors, adjuncts, instructors, and fellows. This gives the largest Faculty in Science, Literature, and Philosophy among the colleges of the Southern States. A chair of Biblical Literature has been established.

The entrance requirements have been very much raised, and more advanced courses, leading to the Bachelor's and Master's Degrees, have been added. The standard of scholarship is high and continuously advancing.

The Braxton Craven Memorial Hall, a thing of beauty and a worthy monument of the noble man who put the strength of his manhood into Trinity College, has been completed, and was turned over to the Board of Trustees of the College last June.

The Crowell Science Building has been much improved, and ten thousand dollars worth of apparatus has been added to the Scientific Department. That tireless friend of the College, Brother B. N. Duke, of Durham, has donated \$83,000 to the institution since our last report.

A new and commodious Gymnasium, furnished with all necessary equipments and first class in every respect, has been erected and opened for the use of the students.

We are especially pleased with the religious life of Trinity College, as indicated by the report of the Board of Trustees. We are informed that a very successful meeting was held in the early part of the year, and that the present conduct of the student body is highly commendable. This is very gratifying to us, and we pray that the religious tone of life in our College may never be lowered!

The Board requests the Conference to confirm the following nominations for Trustees of Trinity College: G. A. Oglesby, J. A. Long, V. Ballard, B. B. Nicholson and E. T. White.

The Board requests the Conference to ask the Bishop to reappoint Dr. J. C. Kilgo President of Trinity College.

SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

GREENSBORO FEMALE COLLEGE.

This institution has given the public a long and honorable service in the field of female education. We are glad to learn from the report of its President that its present condition is one of unusual prosperity, and that the College community has recently been blessed with a very gracious religious influence. We heartily commend it to the young ladies of our Church.

LITTLETON FEMALE COLLEGE.

We learn from the President's report that this institution is in the midst of the most prosperous year of its history, having now within its walls twice as many boarding pupils as it had one year ago.

Every available foot of space has been taken, and a forty room addition is being rapidly pushed forward and will soon be completed. This College has done excellent work in the past, and we heartily commend it to the patronage of our people, and request that Rev. J. M. Rhodes be reappointed President.

LOUISBURG FEMALE COLLEGE.

This school has all the boarding pupils that it can accommodate, and others were turned away for lack of room. The report of the President informs us that Mr. Washington Duke has promised to enlarge the present building by the addition of an auditorium 48x70 feet and ten or more dor-

mitories. This, it is thought, will give sufficient room to meet the present necessities of the institution. We give to Louisburg Female College our cordial endorsement.

TRINITY PARK HIGH SCHOOL.

This is a strictly high grade preparatory school, located on the Park at Trinity College. It is well equipped, and improvements are constantly going on. We earnestly commend it to the patronage of our people.

SCARRITT BIBLE TRAINING SCHOOL.

This school is located in Kansas City, Mo., and is designed to prepare young ladies who desire to become missionaries, Sunday School teachers, nurses, or who desire to become well-furnished Christian workers. We know of no other institution that is seeking to do just the same work, and we commend it to all who can avail themselves of its advantages.

We recommend that an assessment of \$600 be made for Paine Institute; that an assessment of \$325 be made for the General Board of Education for the ensuing year, and that the Conference be asked to raise \$5,000 for education.

We ask that Dr. J. C. Kilgo be re-appointed Educational Secretary for this Conference.

The following are the assessments for 1900:

DISTRICTS.	PAINE INSTITUTE.	EDUCATION.
Raleigh.....	\$71 00	\$628 00
Durham.....	70 00	621 00
Fayetteville.....	54 00	482 00
Rockingham.....	57 00	508 00
Wilmington.....	63 00	559 00
New Bern.....	69 00	613 00
Washington.....	73 00	644 00
Warrenton.....	71 00	631 00
Elizabeth City.....	72 00	639 00

THE TWENTIETH CENTURY THANK OFFERING.

The Board expresses itself in deepest sympathy with this movement and adopted the following resolution concerning it:

That we raise \$75,000 as a Twentieth Century Thank Offering to education, and that the 70 per cent coming to this Conference, and which has not been directed by the donor, be used as an Educational Loan Fund to assist worthy young men and women who wish to attend the schools owned by our Church within our Conference; provided, however, that any donor may direct his donation to any of these schools to be used in such a way as he may direct.

THE PLAN.

As a plan for the accomplishment of this end, the Board adopted the following resolutions:

1. That this Board elect an Executive Committee of five who shall act for the Board in all matters necessary to the success of the Twentieth Century Movement. The following were elected to constitute this committee: J. C. Kilgo, ex-officio, A. P. Tyler, J. B. Hurley, J. G. Brown, F. B. Gibson, and W. C. Norman.

2. That we ask the Editor of the RALEIGH CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE to allow this Board the use of a column in our Church organ through which we can give our people such information as will be necessary to the prosecution of our work.

3. That the Educational Secretary of the Conference, under the direction of the Executive Committee, shall have the right to secure and furnish speakers for mass meetings when requested to do so, and that the expenses of these speakers shall be paid out of the 5 per cent. reserved by the Board to defray its expenses.

4. That during the month of January each Presiding Elder shall call a meeting of the preachers in his District, and organize the work according to the plans of the Conference.

5. That each pastor shall organize a Twentieth Century Fund Committee in his charge, of which he shall be Chairman. This committee shall be composed of one member for not more than fifty members of each church, and, under the direction of the pastor, shall circulate literature on Christian education, and solicit from each member and friend of the church a thank offering, always trying to average one dollar from each member as the minimum amount. The pastor shall furnish to each of these collectors an "Honor Roll Book" with a list of members that he is expected to solicit for a donation.

6. That these collectors shall report to the pastor at least once each quarter the progress of their canvass, and he shall report once each quarter to the Conference Secretary the amount that has been collected for the Twentieth Century Fund within his charge during the quarter.

7. That at each quarterly meeting, the Presiding Elder shall call for a special report from the pastor as to the progress of the work within his charge. He shall also assist the pastors in arranging for educational mass meetings, and shall have general oversight of the work, and adopt such special plans as may be necessary to meet contingencies that may arise.

The Board has elected Mr. J. G. Brown, Raleigh, N. C., Treasurer of the Twentieth Century Fund.

As to undirected funds, the General Conference has arranged that 20 per cent be given toward the endowment of the Biblical Department of Vanderbilt University, 5 per cent for the expense of the General Board of Education, and 5 per cent for the expense of the Annual Conference Board of Education, in this Twentieth Century campaign.

ANDREW P. TYER, Chairman.

L. S. MASSEY, Secretary.

[Document No. 19.]

REPORT OF SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD.

The Sunday School Board respectfully submit its report, as follows:

During the year the sum of \$108.52 has been expended in aid of needy Sunday Schools.

The collections on Children's Day for the current year amount to \$283.93. Ten per cent. of this amount, \$28.39, has been paid to the Secretary of the Board of Education for the General Board, leaving balance in hand of our Treasurer, together with balance brought over from past year, \$418.20.

The Board is pleased to continue the following offer, viz: To needy schools, unable to purchase their own supplies, an amount not exceeding ten dollars, for the purchase of our own literature and song books, or, where, in the judgment of the pastor, an amount not exceeding five dollars, could be judiciously expended, we will give that amount; provided, that a school shall during the year, avail itself of but one of these propositions.

To needy Sunday Schools without libraries, we will donate two-thirds the cost of a library, not exceeding in cost \$25.00.

Applications for aid must be made to Rev. T. J. Gattis, Treasurer, Charlotte, N. C., signed by the preacher in charge and superintendent of school desiring aid. We recommend that the pastors forward all money raised on Children's Day to Rev. T. J. Gattis, Treasurer, who will acknowledge receipt for same, and disburse the money upon application for aid as ordered by this Board. The law of the Church now requires that every Sunday School shall be a missionary body. We recommend the plan adopted by the Missionary Board at its last annual meeting as simple and effective in doing this work, and trust our pastors will be leaders in the movement. We recommend that in future the District Sunday School Conferences shall be composed as follows: The Superintendents ex-officio, and one delegate from each school having less than one hundred members. From each school having more than one hundred members, two delegates. Delegates to be elected by the schools.

Respectfully submitted,

F. B. MCCALL,
Secretary pro tem.

GEO. S. PRICHARD,
Chairman pro tem.

[Document No. 20.]

REPORT OF BOARD CHURCH EXTENSION.

The amount assessed for Church Extension and for Fifth Street Church for 1899 was \$4,800 (\$800 being the amount for Fifth Street Church) and was apportioned and paid as follows:

DISTRICT.	ASSESSED.	PAID.
Raleigh.....	\$ 556 00	\$ 289 25
Durham.....	559 00	503 21
Fayetteville.....	435 00	255 11
Rockingham.....	459 00	336 00
Wilmington	504 00	258 40
New Berne	552 00	425 98
Washington	581 00	312 48
Warrenton	569 00	280 43
Elizabeth City.....	575 00	399 93
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		\$3,060 79
Dividend First National Bank, Wilmington ...		29 00
Total.	\$4,800 00	\$3,089 79
Paid for publishing Minutes and Exchange.....		64 00
" Fifth Street Church.....		514 79
" Parent Board.....		1,287 40
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Left in hands of Conference Board.....		\$1,223 40
Apportioned as follows :		
Tyra Church, Rockingham District.....		25 00
Centenary, Rockingham District		120 00
Ocracoke, Washington District.....		100 00
Williams Chapel, Warrenton District		145 00
Trinity, Wilmington District		100 00
Reelsboro, New Berne District.....		50 00
Woodsdale, Durham District.....		100 00
Orange Factory, Durham District		75 00
Mt. Sylvan, Durham District.....		50 00
Belhaven, Elizabeth City District.....		200 00
Old Hundred, Rockingham District.....		75 00
Jamesville, Warrenton District.....		50 00
Steel's Mill, Rockingham District.....		100 00
Edwards, Washington District.....		33 40
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Total.....		\$1,223 40

The assessment for 1900 for Church Extension and Fifth Street Church is \$4,800 (\$300 being the amount for Fifth Street Church.)

Apportioned as follows :

DISTRICT.	AMOUNT.
Raleigh.....	\$ 556 00
Durham.	559 00
Fayetteville	435 00
Rockingham.....	459 00
Wilmington.. . . .	504 00
New Berne	552 00
Washington	581 00
Warrenton.....	569 00
Elizabeth City.. . . .	575 00
Total	\$4,800 00

G. F. SMITH, President.

A. McCULLEN, Secretary.

WOMAN'S HOME MISSION SOCIETY—REPORT OF CONF. COR. SEC. OF N. C. CONFERENCE, FOR YEAR ENDING DEC. 1ST, 1899, TO THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE.

Total number of Auxiliaries.....	18
Total number of Adult members.....	323
Total number of Young People and Juvenile Auxiliaries.....	1
Total number of Young People and Juvenile members.....	22
Total number of members in the Conference... ..	345
Total number added during the year.....	231
Total number on Baby Roll	30
Number of members on Baby Roll added during the year.....	30
Number of subscribers to "Our Homes".....	187
Number of subscribers added during the year.....	125
Number taking Home Mission Reading Course.. . . .	60
Number of Adult mite boxes in use.....	5
Number of Baby mite boxes in use.....	30
Number pledged to proportionate and systematic giving	4
Number of Scholarships supported, at \$25 per annum each in Mountain, Cuban, Chinese or Japanese schools.....	1
Number of papers and leaflets distributed.....	3,225
Number of annual reports distributed.....	24
Number of Auxiliaries observing Week of Prayer.....	4
Number of Auxiliaries contributing to connectional enterprises	1
Number of visits made to sick and strangers.....	449

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Number of cottage prayer meetings or Bible readings held.....	37
Number of garments in good order distributed.....	146

REMARKS:—In addition to the above there has been much money raised or contributed for the immediate relief of needy persons.

Mrs. M. J. SIMPSON, Corr. Secretary,
Fayetteville, N. C., Dec. 4th, 1899.

THE WOMAN'S HOME MISSION SOCIETY OF THE M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH.

In account with Mrs. S. H. Scott, Treas., Home Mission Society of the
N. C. Conference, from Dec. 1st, 1898, to Nov. 20th, 1899.

Dec. 1st, 1898. By balance as per last statement rendered..	\$130 94
Amount received from dues.....	165 16
Amount received for School Fund in Los Angeles, California.....	107 59
Amount rec'd for Educational Endowment Fund	10 00
Amount received from Week of Prayer.....	83 71
Amount received from Baby Roll....	7 75
Amount received from Mite Boxes	6 65
Amount received for Special Fund.....	99 10
Amount received toward defraying Mrs. T. R. Kendall's traveling expenses.....	6 86
Amount received for Cuban Work.....	3 00
Amount received for Rescue Work.....	4 25
Amount received from General Treasurer.....	27 27
Total	\$654 08

DISBURSEMENTS.

Conference expense	\$ 18 07
Remitted to Mrs. W. D. Kirkland	337 02
Remitted to Mrs. K. R. Hargrove.....	5 06
Remitted to Rev. W. F. Galloway for Parsonage at Newton Grove	25 00
Mrs. T. R. Kendall for traveling expenses..	58 66
By balance cash on hand.....	210 27—654 08

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. S. H. SCOTT,
Treasurer Conference Society.

New Berne, N. C., Nov. 20th, 1899.

[Document No. 21.]

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON TEMPERANCE.

Your Committee on Temperance offer the following report:

WHEREAS. The manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors and their use as a beverage is acknowledged and proven to be one, of the great evils of the day, sapping the very foundations of all our civil and religious institutions, standing in direct opposition to every phase of moral and spiritual development, and hindering, weakening and retarding the Christianizing influences and power of the Church in her efforts to save men; therefore be it

RESOLVED, 1ST, That we as a Conference and Church are unalterably opposed to the manufacture, sale, and use of all intoxicating liquors as a beverage, and we pledge ourselves to do everything in our power to discourage and prohibit the same. We are in hearty sympathy and accord with every wise effort which is being made or shall be made to remove or lessen the great curse of intemperance.

2nd That we will faithfully and fully enforce the requirements of the Discipline on this subject, which requires that all our preachers and members abstain from the manufacture, sale, and use of intoxicating liquors as a beverage, from signing petitions for such sale, from becoming bondsmen for any person as a condition of obtaining license, and from renting property to be used for such sale. The liberty which we as a Church demand is the liberty of living in a society where no man shall be protected in evil doing; where nothing that wars with the public good shall be licensed by statutes; where drinking and drunkenness and all the crimes and evils to which they lead, together with all the haunts of the drunkard, and all the apparatus for making him, shall utterly and forever be put out of the way.

(Signed)

G. A. OGLESEY, Chairman

M. H. TUTTLE, Secretary.

[Document No. 22.]

REPORT OF EPWORTH LEAGUE BOARD.

Your Epworth League Board begs to submit the following:

We learn with great satisfaction of the steady growth of the League, both in interest and numbers, throughout our connection; that it is now a compact, well organized, and well equipped force of the Church.

We are also pleased to note the fact that the missionary movement in the League has assumed such important proportions, and that the "Ep-

worth Era " that most excellent League organ, is fast securing the circulation it so justly deserves.

We greatly rejoice that the International League Conference, held in Indianapolis last July, was so largely attended, and that the results were, in the main, so satisfactory.

We heartily endorse the proposition of holding a General League Conference of Southern Methodism, for the purpose of laying larger plans for our home work, and for better acquainting our young people with each other.

It is, however, with profound regret that we learn of the wide-spread indifference throughout the bounds of our own Conference to this valuable adjunct of the Church, so full of possibilities for good, not only to our young people themselves but also to the Church at large.

We learn from the reports of the preachers submitted to this Conference that although there has been an increase during the past year of fifteen chapters and four hundred and nine members, there are at present only 38 chapters with an aggregate membership of 1,437, including both junior and senior Leagues. These are distributed as follows, viz.:

Raleigh District, 5 Chapters, 231 members.

Durham District, 6 Chapters, 184 members.

Fayetteville District, 3 Chapters, 94 members.

Rockingham District, 3 Chapters, 72 members.

Wilmington District, 2 Chapters, 153 members.

New Berne District, 1 Chapter, 44 members.

Washington District, 5 Chapters, 165 members.

Warrenton District, 3 Chapters, 129 members.

Elizabeth City District, 10 Chapters, 365 members.

Last April a Conference League was held in New Berne. While the attendance was much larger than at previous Conferences, it was not large, which we regret exceedingly, for the League was very beneficial to those who attended. The enthusiasm of the body was remarkable. Much of practical value in League work was learned, and there was a gracious baptism of spiritual power.

The next Conference League will be held in Raleigh, April 3-5, 1900.

Realizing the great necessity of creating, if possible, an interest in League work in our Conference, we recommend the Epworth League Board secure the services of Brother Jos. M. Ramsey, League Organizer of the Tennessee Conference, for the months of February and March of next year.

NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE.

We further recommend that local secretaries be requested to make semi-annual reports in January and July, to the Secretary of the Conference Board upon blanks furnished by him.

R. B. JOHN, President.

H. B. ANDERSON, Secretary.

(Document No. 23.)

REPORT OF JOINT BOARD OF FINANCE FOR 1899.

BISHOP'S SALARY.

DISTRICT.	ASSESSED.	PAID.
Raleigh.....	\$ 227 00	\$178.00
Durham	224 00	214 22
Fayetteville.....	174 00	144 48
Rockingham.....	184 00	161 40
Wilmington	202 00	133 75
New Berne.....	221 00	202 03
Washington.....	233 00	172 69
Warrenton.....	228 00	187 67
Elizabeth City.....	231 00	192 74
Total.....	\$1,924 00	\$1,586 98

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Incidental Expenses.....	2 00
Paid Barbee & Smith, Agents.....	1,584 98
	\$1,586 98

The Joint Board recommends that the Conference raise for Bishops for 1900, \$1,950.00 distributed as follows:

DISTRICT.	ASSESSED.
Raleigh.....	\$ 230 00
Durham.....	227 00
Fayetteville.....	176 00
Rockingham.....	187 00
Wilmington.....	205 00
New Berne.....	224 00
Washington.....	236 00
Warrenton.....	231 00
Elizabeth City.....	234 00
Total.....	\$1,950 00

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CONFERENCE FUND.

DISTRICT.	ASSESSED.	PAID.
Raleigh.....	\$ 708 00	\$ 521 00
Durham.....	699 00	641 65
Fayetteville.....	543 00	369 57
Rockingham.....	573 00	443 50
Wilmington.....	630 00	390 40
New Berne.....	690 00	584 97
Washington.....	726 00	494 65
Warrenton.....	711 00	477 37
Elizabeth City.....	720 00	556 45
Total	\$6,000 00	\$4,479 56
Total from Districts.....		\$4,479 56
Trust Fund.....		253 83
Calvin Fund		32 00
Dividend First National Bank of Wilmington.....		50 84
Total.....		\$ 4 86 23

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Distributed to Claimants.....	\$4,743 03	
Printing Minutes.....	60 00	
Incidental Expenses.....	3 50	
Balance on hand.....	9 70—	\$4,816 23

DISTRIBUTED TO CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS.

	Amount Paid.
Mrs. S. D. Adams.....	\$ 80 35
Mrs. E. A. Bibb.....	120 35
Mrs. E. J. Brown.....	100 35
Mrs. J. B. Bailey	60 35
Mrs. Mary F. Clegg.....	60 35
Mrs. W. S. Chaffin.....	80 35
Mrs. J. H. Cordon and 2 children.....	81 05
Mrs. Charlotte Dozier.....	60 35
Mrs. Margaret C. Floyd	20 35
Mrs. Gaston Farrar... ..	20 35
Mrs. Sarah E. Gattis.....	60 35
Mrs. Virginia F. Gray.....	80 35
Mrs. John J. Grigg.....	40 35
Mrs. Lucy Gibbons and 1 child.....	30 70

	Amount Paid
Mrs. Nannie K. Guinn and 1 child.....	60 70
Mrs. Sarah H. Gilliam.....	120 35
Mrs. N. A. Hooker	120 35
Mrs. S. V. Hoyle and 4 children.....	181 75
Mrs. E. F. Howland.....	60 35
Mrs. Ann E. Jordan	80 35
Mrs. T. C. Lovin..	60 35
Mrs. James Mahoney.....	60 35
Mrs. Daniel May.....	120 35
Mrs. S. J. McIntosh.....	80 35
Mrs. A. W. Mangum.....	80 35
Mrs. Sarah E. Moore.....	80 35
Mrs. J. W. North	40 35
Mrs. J. G. Nelson and 2 children.....	121 05
Mrs. Lillie A. Randle.....	60 35
Paul and Mollie Robey.....	120 70
Rev. T. P. Ricaud	100 00
Mrs. Francis I. Tinnin	80 35
Rev. M. C. Thomas and wife.....	200 35
Mrs. Joseph Wheeler.....	80 35
Mrs. V. A. Sharpe.....	60 35
Rev. Solomon Pool and wife.....	80 35
Mrs. R. P. Troy and 2 children.....	161 05
Mrs. W. B. Doub and 4 children.....	181 75
Mrs. J. W. Gibson and 2 children... ..	81 35
Mrs. Daniel Reid and 7 children	182 80
Mrs. R. L. Warlick and 2 children.....	81 05
Mrs. W. S. Black	20 35
Mrs. L. Leitch and 2 children.....	161 05
Rev. W. S. Davis, wife and 1 child.....	50 70
Mrs. J. B. Martin	100 35
Rev. B. B. Holder, wife and child... ..	200 70
Mrs. P. L. Herman.....	100 35
Rev. Moses Hunt and wife.....	151 93
Rev. T. J. Browning.....	80 00
Mrs. L. J. Holden and 5 children.....	142 10
Mrs. J. T. Aoernathy and 3 children.....	101 40
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	\$4,743 03

The Joint Board recommends that the Conference raise for 1900, for Conference Claimants, \$6,000.00, distributed as follows :

DISTRICT.	ASSESSED.
Raleigh.....	\$ 708 00
Durham.....	699 00
Fayetteville.....	543 00
Rockingham.....	573 00
Wilmington.....	630 00
New Berne.....	690 00
Washington.....	726 00
Warrenton.....	711 00
Elizabeth City.....	720 00

Total..... \$6,000 00

The Joint Board recommends that the Conference raise for expenses of Delegates to the General Conference for 1900, \$975.00, distributed as follows:

DISTRICT.	ASSESSED.
Raleigh.....	\$115 00
Durham.....	113 50
Fayetteville.....	88 00
Rockingham.....	93 50
Wilmington.....	102 50
New Berne.....	112 00
Washington.....	118 00
Warrenton.....	115 50
Elizabeth City.....	117 00

\$ 975 00

L. E. THOMPSON, Chairman.

W. C. NORMAN, Secretary.

[Document No. 24.]

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CHURCH PROPERTY.

Your Committee on Church Property begs leave to submit the following report :

Number of Churches.....	643½
Value of Churches.....	\$ 841,108
Decrease in Number of Churches	6½
Increase in Value.....	\$ 3,703 00
Indebtedness of Churches.....	\$ 32,108 18

Number of Parsonages.....	128
Value of Parsonages	\$153,925 00
Increase in Number of Parsonages.....	7
Increase in Value of Parsonages.....	\$ 4,517 00
Indebtedness of Parsonages.....	\$ 16,045 50
Number of District Parsonages.....	6
Value of District Parsonages.....	\$ 17,550 00
Indebtedness of District Parsonages.....	\$ 5,788 76
Churches Damaged ...	5
Amount of Damages.....	\$ 2,325 00
Insurance Carried ..	\$168,160 00
Premiums Paid.....	\$ 1,308 17
Losses Sustained.....	\$ 800 00
Collected on Losses	\$ 480 00

The pastors, and others, having in hand the insuring of church property are urged to consider the propositions made by Rev. J. J. Lafferty, of Richmond, Va., to whom for further information they should write.

C. O. DURANT, Chairman.



GENERAL MINUTES.

Question 1. Who are admitted on trial?

Answer. Garland Olando Green, Preston DeWitt Woodall, Rufus Rhodes Grant, James Townsend Stanford, Edward Ruskin Welch, Harry Maurice North—6.

Question 2. Who remain on trial?

Answer. George B. Starling, Guy D. Moses, John T. Erwin, William A. Piland, Charles L. Read, William E. Nicholson, James Y. Old, John C. Wooten, J. W. Potter, William F. Jones—10.

Question 3. Who are discontinued?

Answer. None.

Question 4. Who are admitted into full connection?

Answer. Jacob Holt McCracken, John Compton Humble, James Madison Benson, Saul Erastus Mercer, James A. Dailey, Benson H. Black, James M. Terrell, Gaston Troy Adams—8. Jesse L. Cuninggim remains in this class.

Question 5. Who are readmitted?

Answer. None.

Question 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?

Answer. J. D. McAlister, an elder, from the Holston Conference, and J. W. Potter, in the class of the second year, from the North Georgia Conference—2.

Question 7. Who are deacons of one year?

Answer. Bryan C. Thompson, Robert H. Willis, Andrew J. Groves, Albert S. Barnes, Wiley D. Sasser—5.

Question 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons?

Answer. Jacob Holt McCracken, John Compton Humble, James Madison Benson, Saul Erastus Mercer—4.

Question 9. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons?

Answer. Jacob Holt McCracken, John Compton Humble, James Madison Benson, Saul Erastus Mercer—4.

Question 10. What local preachers are elected deacons?

Answer. Norman Clyde Yearby, George Bradbury Starling, Benjamin Elijah Stanfield, Charles Wesley Ray, James Henderson Garriss—5.

Question 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons?

Answer. Norman Clyde Yearby, George Bradbury Starling, Benjamin Elijah Stanfield, James Henderson Garriss, Charles Wesley Ray—5.

Question 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders?

Answer. David Bascom Parker, Robert Lee Davis, Yancey Ellerbee Wright, Hilary Augustus Humble, Ernest Wyatt Fox, Rufus Bradley—6.

Question 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders?

Answer. David Bascom Parker, Robert Lee Davis, Yancy Ellerbee Wright, Hilary Augustus Humble, Rufus Bradley, Ernest Wyatt Fox—6.

Question 14. What local preachers are elected elders?

Answer. None.

Question 15. What local preachers are ordained elders?

Answer. None.

Question 16. Who are located this year?

Answer. John A. Rouse, at his own request.

Question 17. Who are supernumerary?

Answer. R. W. Townsend, J. O. Guthrie—2.

Question 18. Who are superannuated?

Answer. Marcus C. Thomas, T. Page Ricaud, Solomon Pool, William T. Davis, Moses J. Hunt, Isaac W. Avent, Jesse H. Page, George A. Oglesby, Thomas J. Gattis, Barna B. Holder—10.

Question 19. What preachers have died during the past year?

Answer. Jesse A. Cuninggim, Thomas B. Reeks, Nathan A. Hooker, Robert P. Troy, Peter L. Herman, Lucien J. Holden, John T. Abernethy—7.

Question 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?

Answer. Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed. William A. Jenkins, William F. Galloway, and Duncan A. Futrell have withdrawn from the ministry and membership of the Church.

Question 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

Answer. Local preachers, 109; members, 65,255.

Question 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year?

Answer. 790.

Question 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year?

Answer. 1.

Question 24. What is the number of Epworth Leagues?

Answer. 38.

Question 25. What is the number of Epworth League members?

Answer. 1,437.

Question 26. What is the number of Sunday Schools?

Answer. 618.

Question 27. What is the number of Sunday School teachers?

Answer. 4,640.

Question 28. What is the number of Sunday School scholars?

Answer. 39,520.

Question 29. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of the preachers?

Answer. \$6,000.00.

Question 30. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied?

Answer:

Amount from Districts	\$4,479	56	
Trust Fund.....	253	83	
Calvin Fund	32	00	
Dividend from Bank of Wilmington....	50	84	—\$4,816 23
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Distributed to claimants,	\$4,743	03	
Printing Minutes.....	60	00	
Incidental expenses.....	3	50	
Balance on hand	9	70	—\$4,816 23

Question 31. What has been contributed for missions?

Answer. Foreign, \$10,531.23; Domestic, \$6,778.75.

Question 32. What has been contributed for Church Extension?

Answer. \$3,089 79.

Question 33. What has been done for the American Bible Society?

Answer. \$373.42.

Question 34. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge?

Answer. Presiding elders, \$12,317.55; Preachers in charge. \$84,844.88.

Question 35. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops?

Answer. \$1,584.94.

Question 36. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them?

Answer. Number of societies, 671; number of houses of worship. 643½.

Question 37. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon?

Answer. Value, \$841,198; Indebtedness, \$32,108.13.

Question 38. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them?

Answer. Pastoral charges, 157; Number of parsonages, 128.

Question 39. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon?

Answer. Value, \$153,925.00; Indebtedness, \$16,045.50.

Question 40. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages?

Answer. Number of districts, 9; number of district parsonages, 6.

Question 41. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon?

Answer. Value, \$17,550; Indebtedness, \$5,788.76.

Question 42. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage?

Answer. Number of churches damaged, 5; amount of damage, \$2,325.

Question 43. What are the insurance statistics?

Answer. Insurance carried, \$168,160; Premiums paid, \$1,308.17; Losses sustained, \$800; Collections on losses, \$480.

Question 44. What are the educational statistics?

Answer. Trinity College—Teachers, 15; students, 217; value of property, \$333,833; endowment, \$234,750. Littleton Female College—Teachers, 15; students, 120; value of property, \$25,000.00.

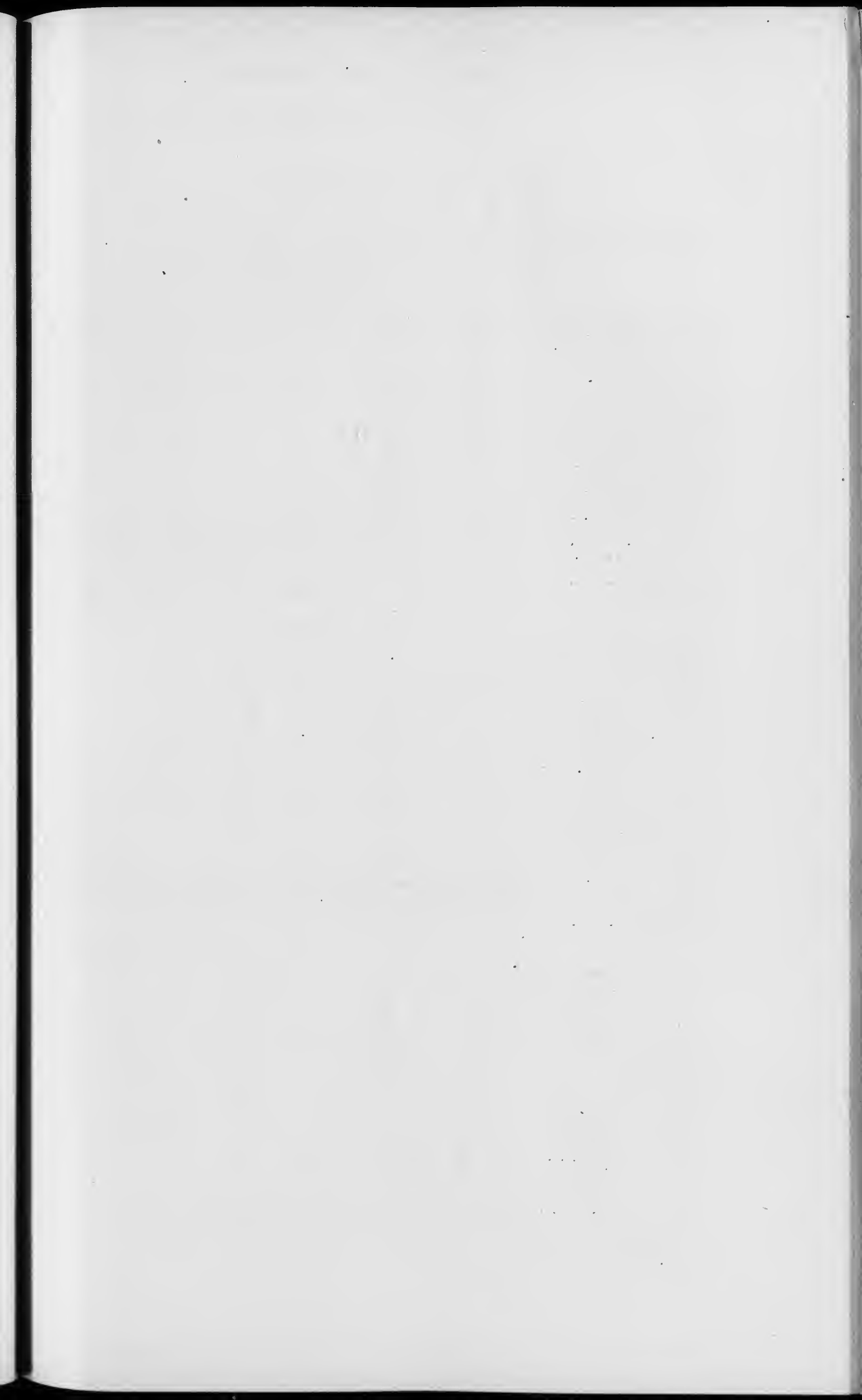
Question 45. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held?

Answer. New Berne, N. C.

Question 46. Who are the preachers stationed this year?

Answer. See appointments.





MEMBERSHIP, BAPTISMS, AND CHURCH PROPERTY,

RALEIGH

NAME OF CHARGE.	Number of Local Preachers.	Number of Members.	Total Number of Members this year.	Total Number of Members last year.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Certificate and otherwise.	Removals by death Certificate and otherwise.	Infants Baptized.	Adults Baptized.	Number Societies.	Number Churches.	Value of Churches.
Raleigh, Edenton St....	2	810	812	792	17	62	61	25	10	1	1	\$ 28,500 00
Raleigh, Central.....	2	389	391	381	18	15	26	...	10	1	1	20,000 00
Raleigh, Epworth.....	...	82	82	102	...	7	27	...	...	...	1	2,000 00
Brooklyn Mission.....	...	206	206	...	11	5	9	...	9	3	3	1,400 00
Cary Circuit.....	2	470	472	370	20	100	20	3	16	6	6	6,500 00
Clayton Circuit.....	...	288	288	380	9	4	16	...	8	5	5	4,400 00
Smithfield Circuit.....	...	436	436	443	7	8	22	2	6	5	5	5,500 00
Kenly Circuit.....	...	378	378	353	38	1	14	6	16	8	8	3,800 00
Millbrook Circuit.....	1	512	513	532	8	4	32	...	3	6	6	5,000 00
Youngsville Circuit.....	...	407	407	391	17	2	3	...	8	7	7	2,500 00
Franklinton Circuit....	8	402	405	383	16	3	4	4	15	3	3	8,000 00
Louisburg Station.....	...	298	298	222	41	47	12	6	28	2	2	5,500 00
Tar River Circuit.....	1	581	582	623	23	6	33	7	21	5	4	4,500 00
Granville Circuit.....	...	503	503	517	3	5	22	1	2	7	8	6,450 00
Oxford Station.....	...	245	245	234	15	6	10	...	12	1	2	10,000 00
Oxford Circuit.....	2	740	742	680	54	17	9	6	43	6	6	5,000 00
Total.....	13	6,747	6,760	6,403	297	292	320	60	207	66	68	\$ 119,050 00
Total last year.....	9	6,727	6,736	...	259	335	323	35	158	67	66	107,500 00
Increase.....	4	20	24	...	38	...	...	25	49	...	2	\$ 11,550 00
Decrease.....	...	...	...	...	...	43	3	...	...	1	...	...

DURHAM

Durham, Trinity.....	4	562	566	586	2	23	45	2	...	1	2	\$ 52,600 00
Durham, Main St. and City Mission.....	6	535	541	527	25	51	62	2	11	3	6	17,600 00
Durham, Carr Church.....	...	304	304	271	10	42	19	...	8	1	1	3,000 00
West Durham.....	1	191	192	230	2	19	49	5	...	1	1	4,500 00
Durham Circuit.....	2	764	766	673	80	6	20	10	50	9	9	5,000 00
Chapel Hill Station.....	...	138	138	130	8	15	15	...	1	1	1	8,000 00
Hillsboro Circuit.....	1	785	786	798	16	2	30	...	14	6	6	8,000 00
Mt. Tirzah Circuit.....	2	472	474	465	28	11	32	2	18	7	7	4,450 00
Roxboro Circuit.....	...	563	563	565	22	3	31	4	15	5	5	5,000 00
Leasburg Circuit.....	1	313	314	314	7	4	11	...	7	5	5	4,600 00
Milton Circuit.....	...	402	402	410	13	2	8	1	11	4	4	4,500 00
Yanceyville Circuit.....	...	460	460	472	10	1	25	1	7	6	6	4,500 00
Burlington Circuit.....	1	405	406	380	39	11	16	2	20	6	5	4,500 00
Burlington.....	1	248	249	446	36	17	197	3	31	1	1	5,000 00
Haw River, Graham, East Burlington.....	...	251	251	...	14	31	20	10	19	3	3	3,500 00
Alamance Circuit.....	2	494	496	469	25	11	7	4	19	5	4	2,800 00
Total.....	21	6,887	6,908	6,726	328	249	587	46	231	64	66	\$ 137,550 00
Total last year.....	20	6,694	6,714	...	409	256	566	43	275	68	66	136,510 00
Increase.....	1	193	194	...	...	...	21	3	...	...	...	\$ 1,040 00
Decrease.....	...	...	...	...	81	7	...	...	44	4	...	...

FAYETTEVILLE

Fayetteville, Hay St... Campbellton and Rose Chapel.....	3	419	422	468	7	42	39	9	2	1	1	\$ 12,000 00
Cumberland Circuit.....	2	592	594	596	2	9	13	2	1	6	6	5,050 00
Cokesbury Circuit.....	...	471	471	477	13	9	28	13	5	5	5	2,700 00
Sampson Circuit.....	1	531	532	543	4	2	14	3	3	7	6	2,250 00
Lillington Circuit.....	...	421	421	445	2	6	32	3	1	5	5	2,500 00
Buckhorn Circuit.....	1	775	776	781	24	4	33	3	19	6	6	5,250 00
Dunn Circuit.....	3	320	323	262	30	31	5	7	19	6	5	3,600 00
Newton Grove Circuit.....	...	501	501	516	13	1	29	4	13	8	7	2,900 00
Cape Fear Circuit.....	1	349	350	335	10	...	15	12	6	5	5	2,900 00
Pittsboro Circuit.....	3	746	749	702	54	8	18	8	40	7	7	6,550 00
Haw River Circuit.....	...	554	554	562	20	7	35	3	12	4	4	7,200 00
Deep River Circuit.....	2	611	613	591	63	3	44	13	36	8	8	4,000 00
Siler City Circuit.....	2	383	385	350	44	12	21	12	33	4	4	2,500 00
Carthage Circuit.....	...	658	658	648	21	7	18	2	10	5	4	7,600 00
Jonesboro Circuit.....	...	571	571	578	18	11	36	15	5	5	5	6,000 00
Total.....	18	8,030	8,048	8,012	327	156	396	109	196	84	80	\$ 74,500 00
Total last year.....	15	8,051	8,066	...	262	207	386	131	154	84	80	70,615 00
Increase.....	3	65	...	10	...	42	\$ 3,885 00
Decrease.....	...	21	18	51	...	22

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Indebtedness on Churches.	No. of Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Indebtedness on Parsonages.	Value of Other Church Property.	Money Expended for Churches and Parsonages.	Amount of Insurance.	Premiums Paid.	No. Churches damaged or destroyed.	Amount of Damage.	Losses Sustained.	Collections on Same.
\$ 1,000 00	1	\$ 4,000 00	\$ 7,500 00	\$ 1,678 51	\$ 69 77	\$ 11,000 00	\$ 56 00				
225 00	1	3,000 00	1,500 00		151 82		45 00				
20 00											
	1	800 00				2,500 00	20 00				
	1	500 00			99 28						
	1	1,000 00		5,635 00	135 00	1,000 00	30 00				
	1	200 00			8 00						
	1	1,500 00		200 00							
				100 00	121 00						
	1	1,500 00			25 00						
	1	2,500 00									
	1	1,250 00		200 00	500 00						
	1	300 00			3 00						
	1	2,500 00			2,570 00	2,500 00	20 00				
	1	2,000 00		200 00	10 00						
\$1245 00	13	\$21,050 00	\$ 9,000 00	\$ 8,013 51	\$ 3,692 87	\$17,000 00	\$171 00				
1400 00	13	21,275 00	2,400 00	12,804 00	4,894 10	17,200 00	305 45	1		\$140 00	
			\$6,600 00		\$1,201 23						
\$155 00		\$225 00		4,790 49		\$200 00	\$134 45	1		\$140 00	

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\$ 170 00	1	\$ 5,000 00		\$ 6,000 00	\$ 8,875 00	\$30,000 00					
	1	5,000 00			1,068 62						
	1	1,500 00				3,000 00	70 00				
	1	1,500 00			300 00	2,700 00	27 00				
	1	1,500 00	500 00	100 00	600 00	700 00	15 00				
					100 00						
	1	1,200 00			25 00						
	1	1,000 00			333 36						
	1	2,000 00		350 00	67 00						
	1	1,500 00			23 58						
142 00						500 00					
	1	1,000 00		250 00	136 00						
15 00	1	1,000 00	190 00	80 00	10 00						
	1	1,250 00		4,000 00	235 00						
25 00					227 50	600 00	22 50				
				200 00	350 00						
\$ 352 00	12	\$23,450 00	\$ 690 00	\$ 10,980 00	\$ 12,351 06	\$37,500 00	\$134 50				
8,000 00	12	22,900 00	1,075 00	10,390 00	10,685 40	68,790 00	147 10	1		50 63	
		550 00			1,665 66						
7,648 00			385 00	590 00		\$31,290 00	12 60	1		50 63	

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\$ 80 00	1	\$ 3,000 00		\$ 9,600 00	\$ 275 00	\$ 9,600 00	\$ 53 32				
	1	800 00			3 20	300 00	4 50				
	1	1,000 00			52 09						
	1	350 00		200 00	120 00						
					23 00						
	1	800 00			460 00						
100 26	1	400 00			226 00						
1,500 00	1	500 00			87 50						
	1	350 00			25 00						
	1	1,000 00			63 00						
	1	1,500 00			84 00						
	1	1,000 00		150 00	437 96	500 00	4 50				
				150 00	115 00						
750 00	1	1,500 00		150 00	1,010 00	2,500 00	31 25				
100 00	1	2,000 00	90 00	1,500 00	257 50	750 00	11 25				
\$2530 00	26	\$14,200 00	\$ 90 00	\$11,750 00	\$ 3,239 16	\$ 13,650 00	\$ 109 82				
1000 00	13	13,830 00	110 00	12,350 00	5,345 20	9,200 00	163 00				
\$1530 00	26	\$ 370 00				4,450 00					
			20 00	600 00	2 106 04		53 18				

MEMBERSHIP, BAPTISMS AND CHURCH PROPERTY.

NAME OF CHARGE.	ROCKINGHAM										
	Number of Local Preachers.	Number of Members.	Total Number of Members this year.	Total Number of Members last year.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Certificate and otherwise.	Removals by death Certificate and otherwise.	Infants Baptized.	Adults Baptized.	Number Societies.	Number Churches.
Rockingham Station...	1	302	302	292	20	25	14	7	9	1	\$
Rockingham Circuit...	12	584	586	588	7	3	12	9	4	6	2,000 00
Richmond Circuit...	1	597	597	533	28	39	23	1	14	6	3,000 00
Mt. Gilead Circuit...	1	583	583	533	37	27	14	12	13	6	4,200 00
Pekin Circuit...	1	557	558	674	49	8	180	5	9	7	3,200 00
Montgomery...	2	296	298	.....	8	1	6	21	8	7	3,000 00
Star...	1	675	675	652	37	2	12	1	28	8	3,000 00
Aberdeen Circuit...	1	224	224	227	11	4	18	5	5	4	3,800 00
St. John's Station...	1	366	366	365	7	1	7	3	2	2	3,500 00
Laurinburg Station...	3	200	203	203	1	5	6	.....	.....	1	3,000 00
Sneed's Grove Circuit...	1	399	399	401	9	6	17	2	7	4	1,700 00
Maxton and Caledonia...	1	278	278	269	11	6	8	3	1	2	2,950 00
Red Springs Circuit...	1	400	401	499	25	35	10	15	10	4	3,500 00
Lumberton Circuit...	1	531	531	527	7	10	13	2	.....	5	4,000 00
Robeson Circuit...	2	638	640	612	17	14	5	9	7	5	4,500 00
Total.....	11	6,630	6,641	6,375	274	192	345	95	117	70	\$ 45 350 00
Total last year.....	9	6,880	6,889	.....	229	145	863	116	105	74	46,450 00
Increase.....	2	.....	.....	.....	45	47	.....	.....	12	.....	\$
Decrease.....	.....	250	248	.....	.....	.....	518	21	.....	4	1,100 00

WILMINGTON											
Wilmington, Grace...	1	622	623	612	20	21	30	16	3	1	\$ 30,000 00
Wilmington, Fifth St...	1	477	478	525	.....	16	53	6	.....	1	37,500 00
Wilmington, Market St.	1	112	113	114	.....	11	11	4	.....	1	1,000 00
Wilmington, Bladen St.	1	107	108	144	6	13	23	4	3	1	1,400 00
Scott's Hill Circuit...	1	243	243	207	.....	22	18	7	13	6	3,500 00
Onslow Circuit...	1	781	781	765	22	.....	6	3	17	6	2,800 00
Jacksonville and Rich-	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
lands	1	306	306	295	2	14	5	2	1	4	1,700 00
Magnolia Circuit...	1	514	514	490	27	1	4	1	20	7	6,300 00
Kenansville Circuit...	1	622	622	599	35	18	23	1	14	6	3,325 00
Burgaw Circuit...	1	380	380	429	3	6	40	.....	.....	3	1,200 00
Clinton Circuit...	1	675	675	785	.....	10	23	9	.....	5	.....
Bladen Circuit...	2	660	662	685	10	4	38	17	8	10	3,000 00
Elizabeth Circuit...	1	471	471	481	3	2	15	.....	1	8	5,200 00
Whiteville Circuit...	1	455	455	437	12	15	9	2	.....	7	.....
Carver's Creek Circuit...	1	396	396	391	7	3	5	14	5	4	3,500 00
Waccamaw Circuit...	2	550	552	473	70	12	3	20	35	8	2,000 00
Brunswick Circuit...	1	748	749	748	10	1	10	12	4	11	3,500 00
Southport Station...	1	294	294	291	6	6	9	5	.....	1	3,500 00
Total	9	8,413	8,422	8,471	233	175	325	123	124	90	\$ 109,425 00
Total last year.....	10	8,559	8,569	.....	278	487	528	131	142	83	116,535 00
Increase.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	.....
Decrease.....	1	146	147	.....	45	312	203	8	18	.....	\$ 7,110 00

NEW BERNE											
New Berne, Centenary...	1	712	713	731	.....	18	36	11	.....	1	\$ 10,600 00
Goldsboro, St. Paul...	1	416	417	427	5	14	29	5	2	1	18,000 00
Goldsboro, St. John...	1	210	210	218	8	14	30	3	5	2	1,600 00
Goldsboro Circuit...	2	492	494	533	9	2	50	.....	9	6	5,000 00
Mt Olive Circuit...	1	755	755	745	9	8	7	2	2	7	4,000 00
La Grange Circuit...	1	631	631	588	33	10	15	2	24	7	3,310 00
Snow Hill Circuit...	1	856	857	826	30	2	12	.....	22	7	9,650 00
Kinston Station...	2	387	389	393	1	21	26	1	.....	1	4,000 00
Grifton Circuit...	1	540	541	545	3	83	73	3	1	7	2,900 00
Jones Circuit...	1	613	614	590	39	5	20	1	29	6	4,000 00
Craven Circuit...	1	504	505	501	11	6	14	7	6	7	4,050 00
Pamlico Circuit...	1	688	689	688	23	20	41	4	15	10	6,200 00
Carteret Circuit...	2	446	448	464	5	6	15	3	4	8	2,950 00
Morehead City Station...	1	248	248	244	2	8	6	3	1	2	3,500 00
Beaufort Station...	1	367	367	365	8	7	13	19	3	1	7,250 00
Straits Circuit...	1	429	430	422	8	.....	1	14	6	5	2,833 00
Core Sound Mission...	1	145	145	116	3	.....	14	1	1	3	1,500 00
Total.....	14	8,439	8,453	8,396	197	224	402	79	130	81	\$ 91,343 00
Total last year.....	17	8,670	8,687	504	284	523	128	273	84	95,110 00
Increase.....
Decrease.....	3	231	234	307	60	121	49	143	3	3,767 00

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Indebtedness on Churches.	No. of Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Indebtedness on Parsonages.	Value of Other Church Property.	Money Expended for Churches and Parsonages.	Amount of Insurance.	Premiums Paid.	No. Churches damaged or destroyed.	Amount of Damage.	Losses Sustained.	Collections on Same.
\$	1	\$ 1,000 00	\$	\$ 2,000 00	\$ 277 99	\$ 750 00	\$				
	1	750 00			3 00						
	1	750 00		275 00	175 00						
	1	1,000 00		150 00	50 00						
	1	800 00			100 00						
	1	700 00	75 00		862 43						
	1				2 50						
	1	900 00		150 00	40 00						
	1	1,500 00		225 00	58 75						
	1	1,500 00			45 00	2,460 00	18 75				
35 00	1	1,200 00	93 00		325 00						
75 00	1	1,200 00			88 48	2,000 00	12 20				
	1	1,250 00			50 00	600 00	15 00				
	1	1,000 00	200 00	200 00	400 00						
\$ 110 00	13	\$13,550 00	\$ 368 00	\$ 3,000 00	\$ 2,478 15	\$ 5,810 00	\$ 45 95				
	11	12,678 00	153 00	2,310 00	1,071 36	5,520 00	16 50				
110 00	2	872 00	215 00	690 00	1,406 79	290 00	29 45				

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	1	\$ 4,000 00		\$ 600 00	\$ 1,797 30	\$19,350 00	\$ 101 75				
13600 00	1	2,500 00			801 52	15,000 00					
	1	2,000 00	1,180 00	100 00	277 95	1,100 00	12 05				
	1	600 00	80 00		586 00	1,500 00	9 00				
	1	600 00	75 00		4 35						
	1	425 00	33 00	200 00	119 00						
				700 00							
	1	600 00	350 00	95 00	69 50	500 00	10 00				
	1	600 00			230 55						
	1	450 00									
	1	600 00									
	1	800 00			136 00						
1,200 00	1	1,000 00			3 19						
	1	1,000 00		150 00	250 00						
				50 00							
	1				20 00						
	1	450 00			12 00						
	1	1,200 00			10 00						
13800 00	15	\$16,825 00	\$ 1,718 00	\$ 1,895 00	\$ 4,317 27	\$37,450 00	\$ 232 80				
14308 87	15	17,150 00	1,600 00	2,500 00	4,477 89	42,350 00	275 22				
			118 00								
508 87		325 00		605 00	160 62	4,900 00	42 42				

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\$	2	\$ 6,000 00	\$ 270 00	\$ 1,000 00	\$ 113 90	\$ 5,700 00	\$ 35 00				
	1	2,500 00			115 75	11,800 00	65 00				
	1	750 00		200 00	133 97	1,400 00	41 10				
	1	600 00		225 00							
	1	1,200 00	150 00		47 00	400 00	4 00				
	1	400 00		400 00	350 00						
50 00	1	1,000 00	150 00		100 00	1,600 00	12 00				
	1	2,000 00			42 00	1,000 00	10 00				
	1	500 00	361 42	160 00	231 08						
	1	800 00			10 00						
	1	300 00		150 00	39 26						
	1	400 00		250 00	350 00						
	1	850 00	471 00	400 00	11 00						
	1	1,000 00		300 00							
90 00				120 00	33 00						
					6 30						
\$ 140 00	15	\$18,300 00	\$ 1,402 42	\$ 3,205 00	\$ 1,583 26	\$21,900 00	\$ 167 10				
110 00	15	18,375 00	889 28	12,195 00	5,013 75	9,500 00	71 50				
30 00			513 14			12,400 00	95 60				
		75 00		8,990 00	3,430 49						

MEMBERSHIP, BAPTISMS, AND CHURCH PROPERTY.

NAME OF CHARGE.	WASHINGTON										Number Societies.	Number Churches.	Value of Churches.
	Number of Local Preachers.	Number of Members.	Total Number of Members this year.	Total Number of Members last year.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Certificate and otherwise.	Removals by death Certificate and otherwise.	Infants Baptized.	Adults Baptized.				
Washington Station....	1	378	379	381	1	122	29	3	....	1	1	\$	18,000 00
Washington Circuit....	....	349	349	327	10	12	6	2	10	5	5		3,000 00
Aurora Circuit....	....	332	332	284	1	100	64	1	....	5	5		3,400 00
Swan Quarter Circuit..	1	387	388	391	6	4	13	11	3	4	4		2,750 00
Mattamuskeet Circuit....	....	476	476	505	20	5	38	33	6	4	4		4,200 00
Fairfield Station....	....	195	195	163	33	3	4	7	12	1	1		5,000 00
Greenville Station....	....	225	225	220	....	10	5	4	....	1	1		3,000 00
Ayden Circuit....	....	207	207	206	8	36	43	6	6	5	5		1,950 00
Grimesland and Vanceboro.....	2	358	360	290	8	48	14	6	6	6	6		3,000 00
Bethel Station....	1	281	282	322	9	3	53	....	5	1	1		1,000 00
Tarboro Station....	....	163	163	189	....	7	33	3	....	1	2		4,800 00
Conetoe Circuit....	....	149	149	169	8	8	36	....	7	5	4		2,600 00
South Edgecombe Ct..	1	317	318	315	8	6	8	1	4	5	4		2,800 00
Rocky Mount Station..	....	198	198	258	2	11	73	....	1	1	1		2,000 00
So. Rocky Mount and Marvin Chapel.....	....	95	95	83	12	15	13	....	6	2	2		1,000 00
Nashville Circuit....	....	436	436	383	66	37	39	....	49	6	6		3,300 00
Spring Hope Circuit....	....	542	542	379	32	131	24	1	26	8	7		3,000 00
Wilson Station....	1	540	541	503	20	31	9	5	12	1	1		7,000 00
Fremont Circuit....	....	728	728	709	33	2	16	....	30	7	7		8,800 00
Portsmouth & Ocracoke.	....	134	134	169	2	1	38	1	2	2	1		400 00
Total.....	7	6,390	6,397	6,146	279	492	558	90	185	71	68	\$	80,500 00
Total last year.....	6	6,376	6,382	....	259	184	372	90	182	69	67		78,550 00
Increase.....	1	14	15	....	20	308	186	....	3	2	1		1,950 00
Decrease.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....		....

WARRENTON													
Warrenton Circuit....	....	490	490	461	24	10	5	4	17	4	4	\$	10,500 00
Warren Circuit....	....	495	495	647	24	7	25	5	16	7	7		5,200 00
Ridgeway Circuit....	....	629	629	635	20	1	27	13	14	6	6		4,745 00
Henderson Station....	1	264	265	280	3	5	23	1	1	1	1		13,000 00
Littleton Circuit....	....	410	410	416	6	5	17	1	2	4	4		7,500 00
Weldon Station....	1	109	110	109	11	6	16	2	4	1	1		2,500 00
Roanoke Circuit....	....	670	670	530	34	104	14	3	18	5	5		4,625 00
Halifax Circuit....	1	239	240	245	....	1	6	5	....	4	4		3,000 00
Battleboro & Whitakers	....	190	190	188	7	2	7	2	7	4	4		3,500 00
Scotland Neck Circuit..	....	109	109	152	36	9	8	....	12	1	1		1,500 00
Hobgood Circuit....	1	103	104	86	15	7	4	1	8	4	4		2,400 00
Williamston, Hamilton and Jamesville.....	....	266	266	257	14	7	10	3	10	6	6		4,400 00
Garysburg Circuit....	....	302	302	312	1	....	11	1	....	5	4		3,000 00
Northampton Circuit..	1	768	769	748	17	5	16	2	14	5	5		3,500 00
Rich square Circuit....	....	320	320	312	13	....	5	....	12	4	4		5,200 00
Meherrin Circuit....	1	594	595	598	16	2	21	1	9	5	5		3,500 00
Murfreesboro Station..	....	120	120	119	....	2	1	....	....	1	1		5,000 00
Harrellsville Circuit...	1	253	254	300	4	9	46	5	3	6	6		6,250 00
Bertie Circuit....	....	277	277	266	17	1	7	1	10	4	4		5,000 00
Total.....	7	6,608	6,615	6,661	262	183	269	50	157	76	76	\$	94,320 00
Total last year.....	12	6,662	6,674	....	215	109	265	62	133	76	76		95,295 00
Increase.....	....	....	....	....	47	74	4	....	24	....	....		....
Decrease.....	5	54	59	....	....	....	....	12	....	....	....	\$	975 00

ELIZABETH CITY													
Elizabeth City.....	1	595	596	565	22	21	21	4	5	1	1	\$	14,000 00
Pasquotank Circuit....	....	373	373	353	22	19	21	16	9	4	4		3,250 00
Camden Circuit....	1	370	371	385	11	....	25	1	6	4	4		6,000 00
South Camden Circuit.	1	303	307	311	16	6	13	1	10	4	4		4,260 00
Currituck Circuit....	....	573	573	552	19	2	7	4	10	6	6		4,450 00
North Gates Circuit....	....	516	516	519	11	....	13	....	5	4	4		3,800 00
Gates Circuit....	....	535	535	514	10	....	19	7	3	5	5		5,600 00
Perquimans Circuit....	....	536	536	542	21	14	41	11	9	4	4		4,300 00
Hertford Circuit....	....	316	316	308	19	18	29	7	9	4	4		5,500 00
Edenton Station....	....	136	136	146	....	14	24	3	....	1	1		10,800 00
Plymouth Station....	....	231	231	227	....	10	6	5	....	2	2		4,900 00
Roper Station....	1	329	330	319	10	5	4	8	6	2	2		3,500 00
Pantego Circuit....	1	265	266	260	6	2	4	....	....	5	4		6,000 00
Columbia Circuit....	....	477	477	478	2	....	7	2	8	7	5		2,800 00
Dare Circuit....	....	370	370	353	24	2	9	6	4	3	3		3,600 00
Roanoke Island....	1	318	319	314	7	6	8	3	1	2	2		2,000 00
Kitty Hawk Circuit....	1	200	201	191	....	9	4	....	....	4	4		1,500 00
Kennekeet Circuit....	2	416	418	383	37	2	4	40	....	4	3		2,500 00
Hatteras Circuit....	....	249	249	251	3	1	16	20	....	3	2		1,000 00
Total.....	9	7,111	7,120	7,011	240	131	275	138	85	69	66	\$	89,160 00
Total last year.....	11	7,000	7,011	218	323	392	133	110	69	67		90,900 00
Increase.....	111	109	22	5
Decrease.....	2	192	117	25	1	\$	1,740 00

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Indebtedness on Churches.	No. of Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Indebtedness on Parsonages.	Value of Other Church Property.	Money Expended for Churches and Parsonages.	Amount of Insurance.	Premiums Paid.	No. Churches damaged or destroyed.	Amount of Damage.	Losses Sustained.	Collections on Same.
\$650 00	1	\$ 2,000 00	\$	\$	\$ 3,255 00	\$	\$				
40 00	1	100 00	. . . . .	200 00	193 95	. . . . .	. . . . .		
	1	1,000 00	. . . . .			. . . . .	. . . . .
	1	400 00	. . . . .	300 00	89 05	. . . . .	. . . . .		
231 00	1	1,000 00	. . . . .		141 00	. . . . .	. . . . .		
	1	500 00	. . . . .		15 00	. . . . .	. . . . .		
2,500 00				3,300 00		1,500 00	45 00				
50 00	2	650 00	61 25	25 00	262 20						
				150 00	157 97						
	1	1,800 00			40 00	2,000 00	30 00				
75 00					125 00	750 00	15 00				
	2	1,250 00		350 00							
				100 00	50 00						
	1	600 00	99 85		93 50						
	1	600 00	180 00		531 80	750 00	7 50				
	1	3,500 00		2,500 00		5,000 00	125 00				
	1	1,200 00		100 00	17 00						
	1	400 00	125 00		440 00			1	700 00		
\$9399 00	16	\$15,000 00	\$ 466 10	\$ 7,025 00	\$ 5,411 47	\$10,000 00	\$ 222 50	1	\$ 700 00		
4210 10	13	13,600 00	1,000 00	1,860 00	2,067 99	10,100 00	78 00				
5,189 00	3	1,400 00		5,165 00	3,343 48		144 50	1	700 00		
			533 90			100 00					

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	1	\$ 1,500 00	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$				
	1	800 00	800 00		50 00						
	1	1,200 00		400 00	125 00						
	1	1,500 00	530 00		160 00	4,500 00	67 00				
	1	800 00	350 00	100 00	310 00	600 00	11 00				
	1	1,200 00		200 00	150 00	2,000 00	23 00				
				325 00	250 00						
	1	800 00				250 00					
	1	850 00					3 00				
	1	1,500 00	300 00		165 54	750 00					
190 00					348 07						
1,214 87	1	800 00				1,500 00					
12 00	1	800 00		160 00	35 00						
	1	900 00		200 00	115 00						
				75 00	100 00						
				40 00	43 17						
40 00				100 00	18 61						
	1	800 00			109 30						
	1	1,500 00				400 00					
\$1456 87	14	\$14,950 00	\$ 1,980 00	\$ 1,600 00	\$ 1,979 69	\$10,000 00	\$ 104 00				
2 029 00	14	14,400 00	1,685 00	2,285 00	2,277 10	11,600 00	194 00				
		550 00	295 00								
572 13				685 00	297 41	1,600 00	90 00				

DISTRICT.

\$	1	\$ 2,000 00	\$	\$ 1,000 00	\$ 27 95	\$ 8,300 00	\$ 98 00	\$	\$	\$
	1	1,600 00		150 00	28 00	600 00				
158 00	1	1,000 00	165 98	3,075 00	50 00	900 00	18 00			
467 00				150 00	212 22					
	1	1,000 00	15 00		350 00			1	25 00	
	1	1,200 00		75 00	154 45	1,000 00				
	1	1,250 00			57 50					
	1	1,300 00		130 00	152 00					
	1	1,500 00		100 00	20 00					
1,900 00				400 00	481 02	2,500 00				
300 00				750 00	202 00	1,500 00	3 00			
250 00	1	900 00			361 00	150 00	1 50			
	2	800 00	150 00		170 00					
	1	1,000 00		150 00	339 00					
	1	700 00			30 00					
	1	1,100 00			12 70					
	1	650 00								
	1	330 00			140 00			2	100 00	
	1	300 00			64 95			1	1,500 00	800 00
\$3075 00	17	\$16,600 00	\$ 330 98	\$ 5,980 00	\$ 2,852 79	\$14,950 00	\$ 120 50	4	\$1625 00	\$ 800 00
3,657 86	15	15,250 00	312 21	5,877 37	2,618 63	15,200 00	176 59			480 00
	2	1,350 00	18 77	102 63	234 16			4	1625 00	800 00
5-2 86						250 00	56 09			480 00

MEMBERSHIP, BAPTISMS AND CHURCH PROPERTY.

DISTRICTS.	RECAPITULATION.													
	Number of Local Preachers.	Number of Members.	Total Number of Members this year.	Total Number of Members last year.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Certificate and otherwise.	Removals by death Certificate and otherwise.	Infants Baptized.	Adults Baptized.	Number Societies.	Number Churches.	Value of Churches.	Indebtedness on Churches.	No. of Parsonages.
Raleigh.....	13	6,747	6,760	6,403	297	292	320	60	207	66	68	\$ 119,050 00	\$ 1,245 00	13
Durham.....	21	6,887	6,908	6,726	323	249	587	46	231	64	66	137,550 00	352 00	12
Fayetteville.....	18	8,030	8,048	8,012	327	156	396	109	196	84	80	74,500 00	2,530 26	13
Rockingham..	11	6,630	6,641	6,375	274	192	345	95	117	70	65	45,350 00	110 00	13
Wilmington.....	9	8,413	8,422	8,471	233	175	325	123	124	90	80	109,425 00	13,800 00	15
New Berne.	14	8,439	8,453	8,396	197	224	402	79	130	81	74½	91,343 00	140 00	15
Washington.....	7	6,390	6,397	6,146	279	492	558	90	185	71	68	80,500 00	9,399 00	16
Warrenton.....	7	6,608	6,615	6,661	262	183	269	50	157	76	76	94,320 00	1,456 87	14
Elizabeth City..	9	7,111	7,120	7,011	240	131	275	138	85	69	66	89,160 00	3,075 00	17
Total.	109	65,255	65,364	64,201	2,437	2,094	3,477	790	1,432	671	643½	\$ 841,198 00	\$ 32,108 13	128
Total last year.	109	65,619	65,728	.....	2,633	2,330	4,218	869	1,532	674	650	837,495 09	34,745 43	121
Increase .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,703 00	.....	7
Decrease.....	.....	364	364	.....	196	236	741	79	100	.....	6½	.....	2,637 30	.....

NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE, YEAR 1899.

LATION.

Value of Parsonages.	Indebtedness on Parsonages.	No. Dist. Par's'ges	Value of District Parsonages.	Indebtedness on Dist. Parsonages.	Value of Other Church Property.	Money Expended for Churches and Parsonages.	Amount of Insurance.	Premiums Paid.	Churches damaged	Amount of Damage.	Losses Sustained.	Collections on Same.
\$ 21,050 00	\$ 9,000 00	1	\$ 3,000 00	\$ 2,400 00	\$ 8,013 51	\$ 3,692 87	\$ 17,000 00	\$ 171 00	..	\$..	\$..	\$..
23,450 00	690 00	..	..	..	10,980 00	12,351 06	37,500 00	134 50	..	..	..	..
14,200 00	90 00	..	500 00	..	11,750 00	3,239 16	13,650 00	109 82	..	..	..	..
13,550 00	368 00	1	2,000 00	..	3,000 00	2,478 15	5,810 00	45 95	..	..	..	..
16,825 00	1,718 00	1	3,500 00	1,300 00	1,895 00	4,317 27	37,450 00	232 80	..	..	..	..
18,300 00	1,402 42	1	2,500 00	..	3,205 00	1,583 26	21,900 00	167 10	..	..	..	..
15,000 00	466 10	..	550 00	..	7,025 00	5,411 47	10,000 00	222 50	1	700 00	..	..
14,950 00	1,980 00	1	2,500 00	600 00	1,600 00	1,979 69	10,000 00	104 00	..	..	..	..
16,600 00	330 98	1	3,000 00	1,488 76	5,980 00	12,852 79	14,950 00	120 50	4	1,625 00	800 00	480 00
\$ 153,925 00	\$ 16,045 50	6	\$ 17,550 00	\$ 5,788 76	\$ 53,448 51	\$ 37,905 72	\$ 168,160 00	\$ 1308 17	5	\$ 2,325 00	\$ 800 00	\$..
149,458 00	9,224 49	5	14,350 00	4,000 00	62,571 37	39,351 12	189,460 00	1427 30	2	..	190 63	480 00
4,467 00	6,821 01	1	3,200 00	1,788 76	..	..	..	..	3	..	609 37	..
..	..	..	..	..	9,122 86	1,445 40	21300 00	119 13	..	..	..	..

TABLE OF

RALPHIGH

NAME OF CHARGE	Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Charge.		Bishops.		Confer'nce Claimants.		Foreign Missions.	
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	As'd	Paid	As'd.	Paid	Ass'd.	Paid.
Raleigh, Edenton St.	265 00	265 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	33 00	33 00	145 00	145 00	326 00	326 00
Raleigh, Central....	98 00	98 00	1,000 00	1,000 00	14 00	14 00	35 00	35 00	90 00	90 00
Raleigh, Epworth...	30 00	30 00	120 00	120 00	3 00	3 00	.....	.....	5 00	5 00
Brooklyn Mission...	30 00	20 00	160 00	128 00	3 00	2 50	3 00	3 00	5 00	4 00
Cary Circuit.....	109 00	99 14	650 00	625 70	16 00	8 50	51 00	22 00	125 00	62 50
Clayton Circuit.....	63 00	56 25	500 00	446 29	12 00	12 00	27 00	20 00	50 00	35 00
Smithfield Circuit...	100 00	100 00	750 00	650 00	14 00	10 00	46 00	46 00	121 00	72 00
Kenly Circuit.....	60 00	60 00	275 00	275 00	4 00	4 00	15 00	12 50	46 00	46 00
Millbrook Circuit....	85 00	60 00	600 00	430 00	12 00	3 00	44 00	7 00	101 00	17 00
Youngsville Circuit.	70 00	63 56	430 00	390 44	8 00	6 00	19 00	12 00	55 00	36 00
Franklinton Circuit.	100 00	100 00	800 00	800 00	16 00	15 00	50 00	40 00	120 00	90 00
Louisburg Station..	90 00	95 00	750 00	789 70	13 00	13 00	41 00	41 00	105 00	105 00
Tar River Circuit....	100 00	83 50	650 00	541 75	15 00	12 00	53 00	38 56	120 00	51 00
Granville Circuit....	104 00	83 88	700 00	587 12	19 00	6 00	59 00	25 00	135 00	45 20
Oxford Station.....	104 00	104 00	800 00	800 00	23 00	20 00	59 00	40 00	145 00	85 00
Oxford Circuit.....	104 00	89 00	800 00	709 45	22 00	15 00	55 00	34 00	140 00	40 00
Total.....	1,512 00	1,407 33	10,485 00	9,796 45	227 00	177 00	702 00	521 00	1,689 00	1,009 70
Total last year..	1,507 00	1,352 77	10,850 00	9,641 00	221 00	187 00	706 00	537 80	1,698 00	1,168 78
Increase.....	5 00	54 56	.....	155 45	6 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Decrease.....	.....	.....	365 00	.....	.....	10 00	4 00	16 80	9 00	159 08

DURHAM

Durham, Trinity...	280 00	280 00	1,600 00	1,600 00	42 00	42 00	130 00	130 00	312 00	312 00
Durham, Main Street and City Mission..	250 00	250 00	1,200 00	*1,300 00	37 00	37 00	117 00	117 00	279 00	280 15
Durham, Carr chur'h	50 00	50 00	600 00	600 00	8 00	8 00	23 00	23 00	56 00	56 00
West Durham.....	30 00	30 00	450 00	450 00	3 00	3 00	10 00	10 00	24 00	24 00
Durham Circuit.....	90 00	90 00	700 00	700 00	13 00	13 00	42 00	42 00	99 00	99 00
Chapel Hill Station..	50 00	45 88	375 00	344 12	8 00	8 00	23 00	23 00	56 00	56 00
Hillsboro Circuit....	80 00	66 00	535 00	440 00	12 00	9 00	37 00	30 00	90 00	66 00
Mt. Tirzah Circuit...	100 00	82 65	700 00	579 48	15 00	15 00	47 00	47 00	112 00	112 00
Roxboro Circuit.....	155 00	155 00	900 00	900 00	23 00	23 00	73 00	57 22	173 00	135 00
Leasburg Circuit....	80 00	75 00	550 00	515 75	12 00	12 00	37 00	37 00	90 00	90 00
Milton Circuit.....	60 00	45 05	560 00	420 95	8 00	5 22	28 00	17 43	67 00	41 77
Yanceyville Circuit..	100 00	83 63	700 00	585 37	15 00	12 00	47 00	30 00	112 00	62 00
Burlington Circuit..	50 00	43 50	500 00	433 98	8 00	8 00	23 00	18 00	56 00	45 00
Burlington.....	65 00	65 00	700 00	700 00	9 00	9 00	30 00	30 00	71 00	71 00
Haw River, Graham and E. Burlington.	20 00	20 00	305 00	305 00	2 00	2 00	7 00	7 00	17 00	17 00
Alamance Circuit...	50 00	50 00	425 00	425 00	8 00	8 00	23 00	23 00	55 00	55 00
Total.....	1,510 00	1,431 71	10,800 00	10,599 65	223 00	214 22	697 00	641 65	1,669 00	1,521 92
Total last year.....	1,500 00	1,403 59	10,730 00	10,289 78	218 00	210 25	690 00	635 17	1,656 00	1,547 72
Increase.....	10 00	28 12	70 00	209 87	5 00	3 97	.....	6 48	13 00	17 20
Decrease.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13 00	.....	.....	.....

FAYETTEVILLE

Fayetteville, Hay St Campbellton & Rose Chapel.....	190 00	190 00	1,000 00	1,000 00	23 00	23 00	70 00	70 00	169 00	169 00
Cumberland Circuit.	93 00	6 25	250 00	50 95	5 00	1 00	13 00	1 30	38 00	6 87
Cokesbury Circuit..	92 00	81 00	643 00	480 00	11 00	7 50	34 00	22 50	81 00	55 00
Sampson Circuit...	50 00	60 06	520 00	339 46	11 00	8 00	32 00	24 00	80 00	68 47
Lillington Circuit...	50 00	24 32	400 00	194 58	6 00	3 00	20 00	10 00	46 00	20 16
Buckhorn Circuit..	62 00	43 42	378 00	264 76	7 00	2 48	22 00	7 77	54 00	27 31
Dunn Circuit.....	109 00	83 25	600 00	458 05	12 00	12 00	40 00	15 00	93 00	80 00
Newton Grove Ct...	68 00	60 72	400 00	376 00	8 00	6 50	25 00	16 00	65 00	38 00
Cape Fear Circuit...	58 00	35 40	400 00	208 82	7 00	4 00	22 00	8 00	54 00	32 08
Pittsboro Circuit...	58 00	39 35	340 00	230 65	7 00	2 50	22 00	9 00	54 00	22 00
Haw River Circuit..	119 00	104 00	700 00	621 00	14 00	14 00	45 00	45 00	107 00	107 00
Deep River Circuit..	125 00	102 25	700 00	572 54	14 00	14 00	47 00	47 00	108 00	108 00
Siler City Circuit...	97 00	83 93	550 00	475 94	11 00	6 50	35 00	18 00	85 00	46 34
Carthage Circuit....	75 00	69 00	400 00	367 00	9 00	9 00	26 00	26 00	62 00	62 00
Jonesboro Circuit...	135 00	126 00	750 00	700 00	16 00	16 00	50 00	30 00	115 00	75 00
Total.....	1,502 00	1,234 51	8,831 00	7,052 19	177 00	144 48	558 00	369 57	1,331 00	970 83
Total last year.....	1,502 00	1,182 69	8,457 00	6,643 24	176 00	135 33	559 00	304 54	1,310 00	828 91
Increase.....	.....	51 82	374 00	408 95	1 00	9 15	.....	65 03	.....	141 92
Decrease.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 00	.....	9 00	.....

*\$400.00 paid Pastor of Durham City Mission.

FINANCE.

DISTRICT.

Domestic Missions.		Church Extension.		Education.		Paine Institute.		Orphan-ages.		American Bible Society.	All Other Objects.	Total from all Sources.	Average per Member.
Ass'd.	Paid.	As'd	Paid	As'd	Paid	As'd	Paid		Paid				
211 00	211 00	98 00	98 00	120 00	120 00	10 00	10 00	.....	32 06	7 00	3,926 90	6,641 90	8 20
65 00	65 00	34 00	34 00	34 00	34 00	5 00	5 00	.....	.....	94	376 20	1,752 14	4 54
5 00	5 00	5 00	5 00	1 00	1 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	252 88	422 13	5 14
5 00	4 00	5 00	1 00	3 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	.....	.....	.....	35 50	200 00	97
86 00	44 50	40 00	16 00	37 00	15 53	3 00	1 50	.....	20 92	2 81	220 44	1,101 62	2 33
40 00	28 00	20 00	14 50	30 00	20 00	2 00	1 50	.....	2 33	2 40	210 92	745 86	2 58
71 00	35 00	38 00	11 00	42 00	6 10	6 00	3 00	.....	.....	4 72	269 27	1,349 48	3 10
30 00	30 00	14 00	6 25	16 00	6 25	2 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	65 50	505 50	1 33
75 00	12 00	34 00	6 00	40 00	7 00	5 00	7 00	.....	.....	.....	64 52	607 22	1 20
35 00	25 00	30 00	17 00	20 00	11 00	4 00	3 00	.....	.....	2 00	215 00	781 00	1 91
80 00	60 00	40 00	10 00	40 00	10 00	5 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	203 31	1,303 56	3 21
60 00	60 00	35 00	35 00	38 00	38 00	5 00	5 00	.....	.....	.....	4,808 64	5,990 34	2010
76 00	34 00	43 00	4 00	45 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 50	590 60	1,416 85	2 43
75 00	25 00	40 00	10 00	50 00	.....	6 00	2 00	.....	.....	2 00	43 84	840 04	1 67
85 00	55 00	45 00	15 00	55 00	16 00	5 00	3 00	.....	11 50	3 00	2,951 29	4,103 79	1675
85 00	30 00	40 00	6 00	50 00	10 00	6 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	270 50	1,203 95	1 62
1,084 00	723 50	561 00	288 75	621 00	305 88	65 00	35 70	.....	66 81	26 62	14,505 31	28,965 38	.....
1,090 00	736 21	575 00	315 00	634 00	337 00	67 00	36 41	.....	.....	35 45	8,638 08	23,165 04	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,867 23	5,800 34	.....
6 00	12 71	14 00	26 25	13 00	31 12	2 00	71	.....	.....	8 83	.....	.....	.....

DISTRICT.

200 00	200 00	104 00	104 00	116 00	116 00	13 00	13 00	.....	.....	4 60	10,158 16	12,959 76	2289
179 00	179 00	94 00	94 50	103 00	103 00	12 00	12 00	.....	640 24	9 03	2,195 66	4,877 34	9 01
36 00	36 00	19 00	19 00	21 00	21 00	2 00	2 00	.....	.....	2 00	279 34	1,096 34	3 60
15 00	15 00	7 00	7 00	8 00	8 00	1 00	1 00	.....	.....	1 26	487 37	1,036 63	5 40
64 00	64 00	33 00	33 00	37 00	37 00	4 00	4 00	.....	.....	.....	600 00	1,771 00	2 31
36 00	36 00	19 00	19 00	21 00	21 00	2 00	2 00	.....	.....	5 00	325 00	885 00	6 41
57 00	43 00	30 00	20 00	33 00	20 00	4 00	3 00	.....	10 00	2 00	90 00	789 00	1 00
71 00	71 00	37 00	37 00	41 00	41 00	5 00	5 00	.....	.....	12 00	388 62	1,390 75	2 93
110 00	90 00	58 00	45 00	64 00	45 00	7 00	4 00	.....	28 30	1 70	296 30	1,777 22	3 28
57 00	57 00	30 00	30 00	33 00	33 00	4 00	4 00	.....	.....	2 00	171 00	1,026 75	3 26
43 00	26 80	22 00	13 71	25 00	15 59	2 00	1 25	.....	.....	1 50	231 95	821 22	2 04
71 00	45 00	37 00	20 00	41 00	10 00	5 00	2 00	.....	.....	2 50	198 00	1,050 50	2 28
36 00	36 00	19 00	13 00	21 00	5 00	2 00	.....	.....	5 00	.....	194 48	796 96	1 96
46 00	46 00	24 00	24 00	27 00	27 00	3 00	3 00	.....	.....	8 50	572 50	1,569 00	6 30
12 00	12 00	5 00	5 00	6 00	6 00	1 00	1 00	.....	.....	.....	304 67	679 67	2 70
36 00	36 00	19 00	19 00	21 00	21 00	2 00	2 00	.....	.....	3 00	493 00	1,135 00	2 28
1,069 00	992 80	557 00	503 21	618 00	529 59	69 00	59 25	.....	683 54	55 09	16,986 05	33,662 14	.....
1,058 00	966 10	552 00	492 00	612 00	524 00	69 00	58 75	.....	.....	78 13	27,281 86	43,444 74	.....
11 00	26 70	5 00	11 21	6 00	5 59	.....	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23 04	10,295 81	9,782 60	.....

DISTRICT.

108 00	108 00	56 00	56 00	62 00	62 00	7 00	7 00	.....	22 15	6 00	1,420 00	3,133 17	7 42
25 00	4 45	13 00	1 10	15 00	1 23	2 00	37	.....	30	65	43 73	118 45	92
55 00	20 00	27 00	12 00	30 00	12 00	4 00	2 00	.....	.....	2 00	95 00	792 00	1 33
53 00	35 56	26 00	12 25	29 00	12 00	3 00	1 75	.....	7 90	1 91	275 06	847 61	1 79
35 00	15 00	16 00	4 00	17 00	4 00	2 00	1 00	.....	.....	2 84	19 21	298 11	56
40 00	14 13	18 00	6 36	20 00	7 07	2 00	.....	.....	.....	2 95	30 00	407 25	96
65 00	25 00	32 00	12 00	34 00	10 00	5 00	1 00	.....	.....	2 00	613 76	1,312 06	1 69
40 00	24 50	20 00	12 50	22 00	13 00	4 00	2 00	.....	9 35	3 00	277 10	839 67	2 91
35 00	26 78	18 00	6 09	19 00	4 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 71	.....	327 48	.....
35 00	16 00	18 00	7 00	19 00	6 85	3 00	1 75	.....	.....	2 25	38 50	394 65	1 13
68 00	68 00	35 00	10 00	36 00	20 00	5 00	3 00	.....	.....	5 00	144 00	1,165 00	1 66
71 00	71 00	36 00	36 00	38 00	38 00	5 00	5 00	.....	.....	8 46	212 88	1,215 13	2 20
55 00	39 00	25 00	17 00	31 00	16 50	4 00	3 60	.....	.....	1 75	448 70	1,153 67	1 88
40 00	40 00	21 00	21 00	24 00	24 00	3 00	3 00	.....	14 25	4 46	281 39	923 97	2 39
76 00	50 00	39 00	21 00	44 00	21 00	5 00	2 00	.....	55 00	5 50	1,215 73	2,377 23	3 61
80 00	20 00	41 00	10 00	46 00	10 00	6 00	.....	.....	.....	4 61	519 85	1,490 46	2 61
881 00	577 42	441 00	244 39	486 00	261 65	60 00	33 47	.....	108 95	55 09	5,634 91	16,795 91	.....
856 00	482 05	453 00	217 05	477 50	212 03	48 00	15 71	.....	.....	7 35	6,968 28	17,382 07	.....
25 00	95 37	27 25	8 50	49 62	12 00	17 76
.....	12 00	15 26	1,333 37	586 16

TABLE OF

ROCKINGHAM

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WILMINGTON

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NEW BERNE

New Berne, Cent'ry.	200 00	200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	29 50	29 50	92 00	92 00	221 00	221 00
Goldsboro, St. Paul.	200 00	200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	29 50	29 50	92 00	92 00	221 00	221 00
Goldsboro, St. John.	30 00	30 00	365 00	365 00	4 50	4 23	14 00	10 08	33 20	23 90
Goldsboro Circuit ..	75 00	71 30	500 00	475 47	11 05	9 00	34 50	22 19	82 90	33 35
Mt Olive Circuit....	90 00	75 00	710 00	600 00	13 50	8 00	41 40	28 00	99 50	36 00
La Grange Circuit...	70 00	70 00	500 00	525 00	11 50	11 50	32 25	35 25	77 35	80 35
Snow Hill Circuit....	125 00	119 91	850 00	809 39	18 60	13 00	57 50	34 00	138 15	85 00
Kinston Station.....	110 00	110 00	729 00	748 16	16 25	16 25	50 60	45 00	121 55	90 00
Grifton Circuit	58 00	52 06	382 00	342 91	8 50	8 50	26 65	26 65	64 10	64 10
Jones Circuit	75 00	71 52	500 00	476 84	11 05	11 05	34 50	27 00	82 90	64 49
Craven Circuit.....	90 00	90 00	500 00	500 00	13 50	9 00	41 40	25 00	99 50	81 65
Pamlico Circuit	75 00	66 32	600 00	530 59	11 05	11 00	34 50	30 00	82 90	65 00
Carteret Circuit	70 00	60 85	500 00	434 65	10 50	9 00	32 25	25 00	77 55	57 75
Morehead City Sta'n	72 00	72 00	700 00	700 00	10 25	10 25	32 75	36 35	79 52	79 52
Beaufort Station.....	100 00	100 00	800 00	876 00	14 75	14 75	46 00	46 00	110 50	110 50
Straits Circuit..	50 00	36 71	425 00	312 05	7 35	6 00	23 00	7 00	55 25	6 00
Core Sound Mission.	10 00	7 06	150 00	105 98	1 50	1 50	4 60	3 45	11 05	6 75
Total	1,500 00	1,432 73	10,602 00	10,202 04	222 85	202 03	689 90	584 97	1,657 72	1,326 27
Total last year ..	1,500 00	1,402 39	10,685 00	10,023 40	217 71	190 95	665 45	521 20	1,632 55	1,253 64
Increase		30 34		178 64	5 14	11 08	24 45	63 77	25 17	72 63
Decrease			83 00							

FINANCE.

DISTRICT.

Domestic Missions.		Church Extension		Education.		Paine Institute		Orphanages		American Bible Society.	All Other Objects.	Total from all Sources.	Average per Member
Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.		Paid.				
99 00	99 00	52 00	52 00	57 00	57 00	7 00	7 00	.....	5 00	3 00	518 20	2,143 20	7 12
51 00	9 00	27 00	3 00	30 00	2 50	3 00	1 00	.....	.....	1 50	40 50	552 00	94
57 00	25 00	28 00	15 00	32 00	10 00	4 00	1 00	.....	.....	1 00	357 08	1,043 08	1 41
69 00	54 00	36 00	23 00	40 00	28 68	4 00	3 00	.....	19 24	.....	267 86	1,345 04	2 30
45 00	8 00	23 00	5 00	25 00	2 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	114 00	339 00	60
25 00	8 00	13 00	.....	15 00	.....	2 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	923 68	1,198 73	4 05
43 00	7 00	22 00	2 00	24 00	5 00	3 00	1 00	.....	.....	3 00	57 28	448 86	64
69 00	50 00	36 00	25 00	40 00	25 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	5 32	441 80	1,493 37	6 66
79 00	72 00	42 00	38 00	47 00	43 00	5 00	4 00	.....	.....	1 00	215 32	1,421 32	3 88
60 00	60 00	32 00	32 00	35 00	35 00	4 00	4 00	.....	.....	4 20	635 11	1,615 31	7 95
31 00	31 00	17 00	17 00	18 00	18 00	2 00	2 00	.....	4 00	2 00	379 10	900 10	2 25
79 00	79 00	42 00	42 00	47 00	47 00	5 00	5 00	.....	.....	6 50	200 05	1,525 55	5 49
42 00	42 00	21 00	21 00	23 00	23 00	3 00	3 00	.....	.....	5 00	300 00	1,260 00	3 15
61 00	48 80	32 00	25 00	34 00	27 00	4 00	.....	.....	16 80	1 80	75 90	1,020 70	1 92
69 00	69 00	36 00	36 00	40 00	40 00	4 00	4 00	.....	.....	8 00	594 67	1,737 67	2 72
879 00	661 80	459 00	336 00	507 00	363 18	50 00	35 00	.....	45 04	41 32	5,120 55	18,044 93	....
889 00	575 78	466 00	256 00	512 00	278 66	57 00	27 21	48 52	3,505 04	15,489 83
.....	86 02	80 00	84 52	7 79	1,615 51	2,555 10
10 00	7 00	5 00	7 00	7 20

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182 50	182 50	95 26	95 26	105 67	105 67	11 89	11 89	11 09	3,223 68	6,261 29	10 05
98 72	41 00	51 52	35 09	57 12	10 00	6 44	8 45	3 00	1,120 79	2,527 82	5 28
26 46	26 46	13 81	13 81	15 32	15 32	1 73	1 73	.....	3 15	2 00	435 32	851 59	7 88
39 00	17 00	16 00	.....	18 00	.....	2 00	.....	.....	3 50	3 00	698 00	965 25	....
34 68	21 10	18 09	7 45	20 07	8 25	2 25	75	.....	.....	1 21	52 52	532 98	2 19
37 69	13 15	19 66	10 00	21 80	5 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	145 50	671 23	85
49 36	10 63	25 76	6 37	28 56	.....	3 22	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	487 00	....
49 36	24 68	25 75	12 87	28 56	14 26	3 22	1 61	.....	10 16	3 00	146 35	800 88	1 55
59 12	25 00	30 84	8 00	34 21	8 00	3 85	1 00	.....	.....	1 00	293 72	837 12	1 33
49 36	12 50	25 76	5 00	28 56	.....	3 22	.....	.....	.....	.....	108 32	587 33	....
49 36	20 09	25 76	8 00	28 56	8 00	3 22	1 00	.....	.....	.....	400 00	933 28	....
49 36	24 68	25 76	12 88	28 56	13 14	3 22	1 60	.....	.....	.....	236 32	935 78	1 41
46 95	20 00	24 49	5 00	27 17	.....	3 06	.....	.....	.....	.....	21 60	464 67	98
54 29	25 00	28 32	5 00	31 43	3 00	3 54	1 00	.....	.....	1 00	374 50	1,006 80	....
39 57	20 00	20 60	8 00	22 86	7 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 50	656 76	1,176 06	2 83
24 73	.....	12 98	.....	14 31	.....	2 58	.....	.....	.....	.....	183 70	.....	....
34 68	37 87	18 08	.....	20 07	.....	2 26	.....	.....	.....	1 00	100 00	632 00	84
49 36	49 36	25 76	25 76	28 56	20 29	3 22	3 22	.....	2 50	2 75	352 91	1,182 17	4 02
965 55	570 93	504 20	258 40	559 39	218 43	58 92	23 80	.....	27 76	30 55	8,366 29	21,076 95	....
965 55	524 83	489 05	188 28	543 02	170 08	56 45	19 27	29 46	7,426 11	19,374 66
.....	46 10	15 15	70 12	16 37	48 35	2 47	4 93	1 09	940 18	1,702 29

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141 00	141 00	73 60	73 60	81 60	81 60	9 20	9 20	27 70	5 56	1,813 69	4,013 35	5 63
141 00	141 00	73 60	73 60	81 60	9 20	9 20	50 00	5 60	1,297 27	3,269 17	7 86
21 25	15 30	11 05	7 95	12 25	8 82	1 40	1 00	.....	.....	2 45	348 25	818 45	3 89
53 00	27 00	27 60	12 00	30 65	7 00	3 50	.....	.....	.....	65	43 35	730 74	1 47
66 50	30 00	33 00	16 00	36 00	.....	4 20	.....	.....	.....	2 09	168 00	1,137 10	1 50
49 50	52 50	25 70	25 70	28 70	28 70	3 25	3 25	.....	.....	1 00	447 35	1,285 35	2 03
88 00	56 00	46 00	27 00	61 00	35 00	5 75	3 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,182 30	1 38
77 55	60 00	41 50	26 33	44 90	22 00	5 10	5 00	.....	.....	9 26	496 59	1,628 59	4 18
41 00	41 00	21 35	21 35	23 67	23 67	2 15	2 15	.....	.....	4 45	453 67	1,044 45	1 93
53 00	40 00	27 60	20 00	30 65	20 00	3 50	2 00	.....	.....	1 60	180 77	915 18	1 48
63 50	40 00	34 15	18 00	36 75	15 00	4 20	3 00	.....	5 00	5 00	10 00	909 08	1 86
53 00	40 00	27 60	16 00	30 65	17 00	3 50	.....	.....	.....	1 00	468 00	1,234 91	2 09
49 50	37 50	25 90	20 25	28 70	21 50	3 50	1 50	.....	.....	1 50	85 00	754 50	1 68
50 25	50 25	26 40	26 40	29 80	29 80	3 00	3 00	.....	.....	4 50	312 36	1,324 43	5 34
70 50	70 50	36 80	35 80	40 80	40 80	4 60	4 60	.....	53 44	7 00	872 82	2,273 81	6 14
35 25	8 20	18 40	3 00	20 40	50	2 30	.....	.....	.....	.....	129 75	509 21	1 13
7 05	7 05	3 65	2 00	4 10	.....	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	20 03	153 82	1 06
1,060 85	857 30	557 90	425 98	622 22	351 39	68 85	40 90	.....	583 14	51 57	7,146 91	23,164 45	....
1,019 60	812 16	548 15	404 37	573 89	400 50	60 85	40 07	.....	.....	36 12	6,991 94	21,887 79	....
11 25	45 14	9 75	21 61	48 42	.....	8 00	6 83	.....	.....	15 45	154 95	1,276 66	....

TABLE OF

WASHINGTON

NAME OF CHARGE	Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Charge.		Bishops.		Confer'nce Claimants.		Foreign Missions.	
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	As'd	Paid	As'd.	Paid	Ass'd.	Paid
Washington Station	155 00	155 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	25 00	25 00	77 00	75 00	184 00	100 00
Washington Circuit.	25 00	25 00	305 00	285 00	7 00	5 00	22 00	10 00	52 00	12 00
Aurora Circuit,	85 00	71 95	500 00	423 12	12 00	9 00	39 00	30 00	92 00	76 00
Swan Quarter Ct....	70 00	45 60	500 00	325 98	8 00	2 50	30 00	9 00	69 00	20 00
Mattamuskeet Ct. .	90 00	76 52	600 00	459 11	13 00	7 00	41 00	17 00	92 00	37 00
Fairfield Station....	78 00	78 00	600 00	601 92	12 00	12 00	40 00	40 00	92 00	92 00
Greenville Station	120 00	120 00	900 00	900 00	17 00	17 00	48 00	48 00	123 00	123 00
Ayden Circuit.	25 00	20 69	200 00	165 53	4 00	4 00	12 00	10 41	29 00	25 79
Grimesland & Vance boro.....	20 00	20 00	300 00	274 91	4 00	1 50	16 00	4 25	42 00	17 25
Bethel Station.....	60 00	47 25	425 00	337 75	9 00	4 00	31 00	15 00	70 00	30 00
Tarboro Station....	60 00	50 25	600 00	502 00	12 00	10 15	44 00	34 00	88 00	53 00
Conetoe Circuit.....	40 00	40 00	300 00	282 00	4 70	4 70	13 55	13 55	37 74	37 74
So. Edgecombe Ct..	80 00	63 24	500 00	394 99	11 00	4 64	35 00	13 54	79 00	31 12
Rocky Mt. Station...	130 00	122 70	1,000 00	951 00	25 00	10 06	77 00	35 00	150 00	75 50
South Rocky Mount and Marvin Chapel	35 00	25 60	151 50	110 74	5 00	3 00	16 00	5 00	40 00	13 00
Nashville Circuit....	65 00	65 00	536 00	536 00	10 00	10 00	34 00	17 00	79 00	40 00
Spring Hope Circuit	40 00	40 00	350 00	350 00	5 00	5 00	17 00	3 90	43 00	11 90
Wilson Station.....	170 00	170 00	1,200 00	1,200 00	25 00	25 00	71 00	71 00	183 00	183 00
Fremont Circuit.....	125 00	115 00	800 00	737 00	15 00	13 00	48 00	41 00	123 00	60 00
Portsm'h & Ocracoke	25 00	15 00	400 00	270 00	8 00	20	25 00	2 00	61 00	4 00
Total	1,498 00	1,366 80	11,367 50	10,306 97	231 70	172 69	736 55	494 65	1,728 74	1,042 30
Total last year...	1,503 00	1,379 55	11,135 00	10,612 84	232 93	182 17	750 05	530 51	1,775 06	1,067 85
Increase.....	.....	.....	232 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Decrease	5 00	12 75	.....	305 87	1 23	9 48	13 50	35 86	46 32	25 55

WARRENTON

Warrenton Circuit	120 00	120 00	805 00	825 09	19 00	19 00	61 00	45 00	145 00	90 00
Warren Circuit.....	100 00	90 00	700 00	630 00	16 30	12 00	51 00	25 00	123 00	100 00
Ridgeway Circuit...	120 00	112 10	800 00	747 30	19 50	19 50	61 50	61 50	145 00	105 00
Henderson Station.	102 50	102 50	900 00	900 00	16 70	16 00	52 50	42 50	125 00	110 00
Littleton Circuit...	85 00	74 85	720 00	635 00	13 80	13 80	43 00	37 98	104 00	91 86
Weldon Station	80 00	80 00	700 00	700 00	13 10	13 10	40 50	40 50	95 00	95 00
Roanoke Circuit....	90 00	80 35	525 00	482 13	14 70	5 80	46 50	12 50	120 00	23 45
Halifax Circuit	65 00	35 00	500 00	311 84	10 60	4 50	33 40	11 00	80 90	34 00
Battleboro & Whitakers.	57 50	46 68	442 50	358 16	9 40	4 03	29 00	12 47	69 00	29 67
Scotland Neck Circ't	25 00	25 00	225 00	240 00	4 08	4 08	12 50	12 50	30 00	30 00
Hobgood Circuit....	25 00	22 00	175 00	140 70	4 07	2 11	12 50	6 32	30 00	15 07
Williamston, Hamilton and Jamesville.	67 50	65 93	377 50	368 74	11 00	8 00	34 50	14 00	83 00	35 30
Garysburg Circuit...	75 00	75 00	600 00	600 00	12 20	12 20	38 00	30 80	92 00	92 00
Northampton Circ't.	55 00	55 00	600 00	600 00	8 95	8 95	28 00	28 00	67 00	67 00
Rich square Circuit.	70 00	68 10	480 00	553 15	11 40	8 00	35 50	5 00	85 00	51 65
Meherrin Circuit....	70 00	70 00	500 00	500 00	11 40	11 40	35 50	27 50	85 00	53 00
Murfreesboro Stat'n.	57 50	57 50	450 00	457 00	9 40	5 00	28 00	15 00	69 00	30 00
Harrellsville Circuit.	60 00	55 92	500 00	466 08	9 80	8 00	30 00	25 00	72 00	43 00
Bertie Circuit.....	75 00	75 00	600 00	600 00	12 20	12 20	38 00	24 80	92 00	67 00
Total	1,400 00	1,308 91	10,600 00	10,115 10	227 60	187 67	710 90	477 37	1,711 90	1,163 00
Total last year...	1,400 00	1,251 02	11,005 50	9,922 82	229 25	176 64	725 80	465 33	1,750 00	962 04
Increase.....	.....	57 89	.....	192 28	.....	11 03	.....	12 04	.....	200 96
Decrease .....	.....	.....	405 50	.....	1 65	.....	14 90	.....	38 10	.....

FINANCE.

DISTRICT.

Domestic Missions.		Church Extension.		Education.		Paine Institute.		Orphan-ages.		American Bible Society.	All Other Objects.	Total from all Sources.	Average per Member.
Ass'd.	Paid.	As'd	Paid	As'd	Paid	As'd	Paid		Paid				
118 00	75 00	61 00	25 00	61 00	25 00	7 00	7 00	.....	.....	2 57	3,443 00	5,132 57	1300
32 00	32 00	18 00	4 00	20 25	4 00	2 45	1 00	.....	.....	2 00	264 80	644 00	2 98
60 00	48 00	30 00	23 00	32 25	25 00	5 45	4 00	.....	.....	2 81	186 02	898 90	2 71
39 00	13 00	22 00	7 00	24 25	7 00	4 45	1 50	.....	.....	.....	109 83	541 33	1 40
59 00	24 00	31 00	12 00	33 25	9 53	5 45	2 00	.....	.....	.....	204 00	1,144 16	2 40
60 00	60 00	29 00	29 00	35 25	32 25	5 45	5 45	.....	.....	2 50	142 01	1,098 13	5 75
78 00	78 00	40 00	40 00	43 00	43 00	6 00	6 00	.....	21 00	.....	404 00	1,800 00	8 00
17 00	14 32	9 00	4 77	13 25	1 21	2 45	50	.....	.....	3 00	27 72	277 94	1 34
28 00	16 25	15 00	1 25	15 00	1 25	1 50	50	.....	.....	25	299 90	637 31	1 77
44 00	20 00	22 00	10 00	25 25	12 00	4 45	2 00	.....	2 85	1 00	277 97	759 82	2 69
59 00	33 00	30 00	24 00	35 25	20 00	5 45	3 50	.....	.....	2 10	281 45	1,013 45	6 22
23 60	23 60	11 25	11 25	13 10	13 10	1 95	1 95	.....	7 25	2 25	176 00	613 39	4 12
53 00	21 63	28 00	10 76	31 25	12 33	4 45	1 00	.....	.....	.....	105 20	658 45	2 07
118 00	63 00	61 00	20 00	64 00	10 00	7 00	5 00	.....	.....	.....	415 01	1,707 21	8 62
19 00	8 00	13 00	4 00	16 25	4 00	2 45	1 00	.....	.....	.....	97 95	272 29	2 87
52 00	30 00	26 00	13 00	32 25	15 00	4 25	2 00	.....	.....	2 25	182 55	912 80	2 11
27 60	9 50	15 00	3 45	17 25	4 25	3 45	1 00	.....	.....	1 00	693 63	1,123 63	2 07
117 00	117 00	51 00	51 00	61 00	61 00	7 45	7 45	.....	.....	.....	1,073 20	2,956 65	5 45
78 00	57 00	37 00	17 00	39 00	12 00	5 00	2 00	.....	.....	.....	147 38	1,205 38	1 66
36 00	4 00	19 00	2 00	22 25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	564 36	866 56	6 46
1,118 20	747 30	568 25	312 48	634 35	311 92	86 30	54 85	.....	31 10	21 73	9,095 98	24,263 97	.....
1,125 10	775 60	571 80	312 82	618 35	306 98	81 50	43 48	36 79	6,896 05	24,403 58
.....	16 00	4 94	4 80	11 37	2,199 93
6 90	28 30	3 55	34	15 06	139 61

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94 00	60 00	49 00	15 00	51 00	16 00	93 67	200 00	1,473 67	3 00
78 00	45 00	41 00	20 00	44 00	20 00	5 10	3 00	3 00	199 00	1,147 00	2 31
94 00	69 06	49 00	13 00	53 00	15 00	4 10	2 50	.....	25 06	2 50	217 50	1,390 02	2 21
81 00	65 00	42 00	22 50	45 00	25 71	5 20	5 20	.....	.....	11 60	589 10	1,890 11	6 90
65 00	57 42	35 00	30 92	38 00	24 32	4 20	.....	.....	15 50	.....	583 55	1,565 20	3 81
63 00	63 00	33 00	33 00	36 00	36 00	4 10	4 10	.....	.....	4 00	707 82	1,776 52	1615
70 00	17 20	37 00	5 40	42 00	7 75	4 30	2 40	.....	.....	1 95	126 54	880 42	1 31
57 15	22 00	26 65	12 50	28 10	13 50	3 40	1 00	.....	.....	.....	*30 41	475 75	1 98
45 00	19 35	23 00	9 89	26 00	7 18	2 80	1 20	.....	.....	1 21	48 00	538 82	3 70
19 50	19 50	10 00	10 00	11 50	11 50	1 25	1 25	.....	.....	50	287 53	646 86	5 93
19 50	9 82	10 00	5 07	11 50	2 23	.....	.....	.....	.....	2 27	394 48	600 07	5 55
53 00	25 00	27 50	3 00	31 00	3 00	3 40	.....	.....	.....	2 30	216 30	741 57	2 78
58 00	58 00	30 50	15 00	34 00	15 00	3 80	2 00	.....	15 25	5 00	156 00	1,086 21	3 80
42 00	42 00	22 00	22 00	25 00	25 00	3 70	3 70	.....	.....	50	385 00	1,249 15	1 62
54 00	10 00	28 50	5 00	32 00	1 00	3 50	.....	.....	.....	24	.....	840 14	2 18
54 00	48 50	28 50	20 15	32 00	12 30	3 50	1 50	.....	.....	1 50	117 30	863 99	1 45
45 00	25 00	22 50	10 00	26 00	15 00	2 80	2 00	.....	.....	2 61	188 02	807 13	6 73
46 00	26 00	24 00	10 00	27 00	6 00	3 00	2 25	.....	10 00	3 00	205 30	860 55	3 40
58 00	46 38	30 50	18 00	34 00	19 00	3 60	1 00	.....	15 91	3 00	100 00	982 29	3 68
1,096 15	728 23	569 65	280 43	627 10	275 49	61 75	33 10	.....	175 39	45 18	4,751 85	19,815 48	.....
1,119 67	640 73	597 10	210 08	622 55	178 97	58 65	19 85	.....	.....	30 06	6,720 21	20,587 64	.....
.....	87 50	.....	70 35	4 55	96 52	3 10	13 25	.....	.....	15 12	.....	.....	.....
23 52	.....	27 45	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,968 36	772 16	.....

* \$1.50 paid for delegates to the General Conference.

TABLE OF
ROCKINGHAM

NAME OF CHARGE	Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Charge.		Bishops.		Conference Claimants		Foreign Missions.	
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	As'd	Paid	As'd	Paid	Ass'd.	Paid.
Elizabeth City.....	210 00	210 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	32 00	32 00	99 50	99 50	239 00	239 00
Pasquotank Circuit.	70 00	65 75	505 00	474 32	10 50	7 00	33 00	22 00	79 00	52 00
Camden Circuit.....	77 00	74 49	550 00	532 01	10 50	9 45	33 00	29 86	79 00	71 10
South Camden Ct....	56 00	52 31	400 00	373 69	7 50	6 00	23 50	10 00	56 00	22 00
Currituck Circuit....	75 39	75 39	538 55	538 55	12 75	10 00	39 75	20 00	95 00	50 00
North Gates Circuit.	84 00	84 00	600 00	600 00	17 75	12 00	39 75	38 00	95 00	95 00
Gates Circuit	98 00	98 00	700 00	709 10	14 75	14 75	46 75	46 75	109 50	110 12
Perquimans Circuit.	84 00	84 45	600 00	603 23	11 50	11 50	34 50	38 50	82 50	94 75
Hertford Circuit	126 00	126 00	900 00	900 00	19 00	19 00	59 50	60 00	142 50	150 00
Edenton Station	84 00	84 00	600 00	600 00	12 75	5 00	39 75	20 00	95 00	56 00
Plymouth Station...	70 00	70 00	500 00	500 00	10 50	6 00	15 89	15 89	79 00	40 00
Roper Station.....	112 00	112 00	800 00	800 00	17 00	17 00	53 00	53 00	126 75	126 75
Pantego Circuit.....	42 00	42 00	300 00	300 00	6 25	4 00	20 00	6 00	47 00	10 00
Columbia Circuit.....	.....	40 65	.....	282 80	.....	3 54	.....	5 00	.....	12 00
Dare Circuit.....	70 00	70 00	500 00	500 00	10 50	10 50	33 00	18 00	79 00	45 00
Roanoke Island.....	92 40	92 40	660 00	660 00	14 00	14 00	43 75	43 75	103 75	103 75
Kitty Hawk Circuit.	20 00	20 00	165 00	165 00	3 00	3 00	10 00	7 00	25 00	21 00
Kennekeet Circuit ..	70 00	65 89	500 00	470 65	10 50	5 00	33 00	17 00	79 00	33 00
Hatteras Circuit....	42 00	30 00	300 00	217 00	6 00	3 00	19 50	6 20	47 50	20 00
Total	1,482 79	1,497 33	10,618 55	10,726 35	226 75	192 74	677 14	556 45	1,659 50	1,351 53
Total last year...	1,553 50	1,433 29	11,095 00	10,226 17	217 75	190 50	684 10	516 01	1,663 75	1,340 15
Increase.....	.....	64 04	.....	500 18	9 00	2 24	.....	40 44	.....	11 38
Decrease	70 71	.....	476 45	.....	.....	.....	6 96	.....	4 25	.....

RECAPITU-

DISTRICTS.	Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Charge.		Bishops.		Conference Claimants		Foreign Missions.	
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.
Raleigh.....	\$ 1,512 00	\$1,407 33	10,485 00	\$ 9,796 45	\$ 227 00	\$ 177 00	\$702 00	\$521 00	\$1,689 00	\$1009 70
Durham... ..	1,510 00	1,431 71	10,800 00	10,599 65	223 00	214 22	697 00	641 65	1,669 00	1,521 92
Fayetteville..	1,502 00	1,234 51	8,831 00	7,052 19	177 00	144 48	558 00	369 57	1,331 00	970 83
Rockingham..	1,492 00	1,394 77	9,043 00	8,532 61	184 00	161 40	574 00	443 50	1,372 00	1,077 80
Wilmington..	1,527 88	1,348 19	9,597 68	8,435 40	200 78	132 35	630 16	390 40	1,513 34	914 62
New Berne...	1,500 00	1,432 73	10,602 00	10,202 04	222 85	202 03	689 90	584 97	1,657 72	1,326 27
Washington ..	1,498 00	1,366 80	11,367 50	10,306 97	231 70	172 69	736 55	494 65	1,728 74	1,042 39
Warrenton ..	1,400 00	1,308 91	10,600 00	10,115 10	227 60	187 67	710 90	477 37	1,711 90	1,163 00
Elizabeth City	1,482 79	1,497 33	10,618 55	10,726 35	226 75	792 74	677 14	556 45	1,659 50	1,351 53
Total	13,424 67	12,422 28	91,944 73	85,766 76	1,920 68	1,584 58	5,975 65	4,479 56	14,332 20	10377 97
Total last y'r.	13,508 62	11,829 88	92,645 78	83,278 76	1,890 62	1,551 00	5,961 66	4,255 04	14,405 99	9,748 08
Increase.....	.....	592 40	.....	2,488 00	30 06	33 58	13 99	224 52	.....	629 89
Decrease	83 95	.....	701 05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	73 79	.....

On District Parsonage account the charges of the Fayetteville District were assessed \$91 25; Siler City Circuit, assessed, \$28 00; paid \$28 00; Cumberland Circuit, assessed \$37 00; paid \$6 65; Cape Fear Circuit, assessed \$24 00; paid \$5 84; Sampson Circuit, assessed \$28 00; \$24 11; Dunn Circuit, assessed \$28 00; paid \$15 45; Cokesbury Circuit, assessed \$49 00; paid \$30 00; Newton Grove Circuit, assessed \$24 00; paid \$19 05; Buckhorn Circuit, assessed \$12 00; Wilmington District—Grace Church, assessed \$100 00; paid \$100 00; Fifth Street Church, Church, assessed \$10 75; paid \$10 75; Scott's Hill Circuit, assessed \$17 95; paid \$17 95; Onslow Magnolia Circuit, assessed \$25 55; paid \$25 55; Kenansville Circuit, assessed \$30 60; paid \$30 60; Bladen Circuit, assessed \$25 00; paid \$15 75; Elizabeth Circuit, assessed \$24 30; paid \$16 50; \$17 35; Waccamaw Circuit, assessed \$12 80; paid \$2 30; Brunswick Circuit, assessed \$17 95; paid

FINANCE.

DISTRICT.

Domestic Missions.		Church Extension.		Education.		Paine Institute.		Orphan-ages.		American Bible Society.	All Other Objects.	Total from all Sources.	Average per Member.
Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid		Paid				
152 50	152 50	79 25	79 25	88 00	88 00	19 00	10 00	.....	.....	5 00	1,215 14	3,630 39	6 01
51 00	34 00	26 00	17 00	29 25	20 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	94 43	786 50	2 11	
51 00	45 90	26 00	23 40	29 25	26 36	3 25	2 93	.....	8 00	2 00	392 00	1,215 50	3 27
36 00	26 00	18 25	1 78	20 75	6 00	2 25	.....	.....	.....	4 00	283 41	785 19	2 56
60 75	30 00	31 50	10 00	35 25	35 25	4 00	4 00	.....	.....	2 00	926 00	1,701 19	2 97
60 00	58 00	31 50	27 00	35 25	34 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 00	292 02	1,241 02	2 40
70 00	70 00	36 50	36 50	40 50	40 50	4 50	4 50	.....	.....	5 72	359 59	1,503 24	2 81
53 00	55 00	28 00	28 00	31 00	32 50	3 50	3 50	.....	.....	5 84	336 63	1,293 90	2 41
91 00	95 00	47 50	47 50	52 50	52 50	6 00	6 00	.....	.....	12 46	608 46	2,076 92	6 57
60 75	45 00	31 50	10 00	35 25	10 00	4 00	2 00	.....	.....	2 00	756 11	1,590 11	1161
51 00	26 54	26 00	8 00	29 25	6 00	3 25	1 00	.....	5 07	2 00	322 84	1,003 34	4 34
80 75	80 75	42 00	42 00	46 25	46 25	5 00	5 00	.....	.....	1 25	493 58	1,777 58	5 40
31 00	10 00	15 75	2 00	17 50	3 00	2 00	.....	.....	.....	1 00	.....	378 00	1 40
.....	7 00	.....	1 00	.....	1 50	.....	.....	.....	2 65	.....	350 00	706 14	1 45
51 00	51 00	26 00	10 00	29 25	16 00	3 25	30	.....	.....	.....	113 50	834 30	2 25
66 25	66 25	34 50	34 50	38 75	38 75	4 25	4 25	.....	19 50	.....	343 15	1,425 30	4 47
17 00	17 00	8 00	2 00	9 00	2 00	1 00	1 00	.....	.....	.....	40 00	278 00	1 33
51 00	25 00	26 00	15 00	29 25	10 00	3 25	1 00	.....	.....	2 00	267 00	910 46	2 10
30 25	20 00	16 75	5 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	124 08	425 28	1 70
1,064 25	914 95	551 00	399 93	596 25	468 61	59 50	45 48	.....	35 22	46 27	7,317 94	23,562 36	....
1,063 25	793 21	542 80	376 74	578 70	432 20	69 30	41 00	.....	.....	49 60	6,486 98	21,939 23	....
1 00	121 74	8 20	23 19	17 55	36 41	.....	4 48	.....	.....	.....	830 96	1,623 13	....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9 80	.....	.....	.....	3 33	.....	.....	.....

LATION.

Domestic Missions.		Church Extension.		Education.		Paine Institute.		Orphan-ages.		American Bible Society.	All Other Objects.	Total from all Sources.
Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid	Ass'd	Paid		Paid			
1,084 00	723 50	561 00	288 75	621 00	305 88	65 00	35 70	.....	66 81	26 62	14505 31	28,965 38
1,069 00	992 80	557 00	503 21	618 00	529 59	69 00	59 25	.....	683 54	55 09	16986 05	33,662 14
881 00	577 42	441 00	244 30	486 00	261 65	60 00	33 47	.....	108 95	55 09	5634 91	16,795 91
879 00	661 80	459 00	336 00	507 00	363 18	50 00	35 00	.....	45 04	41 32	5120 55	18,044 93
965 55	570 93	504 20	258 40	559 39	218 43	58 92	23 80	.....	27 76	30 55	8366 29	21,076 95
1,060 85	857 30	557 90	425 98	622 22	351 39	68 85	46 90	.....	586 14	51 57	7146 90	23,164 45
1,118 20	747 30	568 25	312 48	634 35	311 92	86 30	54 85	.....	31 10	21 73	9095 98	24,263 97
1,096 15	728 23	569 65	280 43	627 10	275 49	61 75	33 10	.....	175 39	45 18	4751 85	19,815 48
1,064 25	914 95	551 00	399 93	596 25	468 61	59 50	45 48	.....	35 22	46 27	7317 94	23,562 36
9,218 00	6,774 23	4,769 00	3,049 48	5,271 31	3,086 14	579 32	367 55	.....	175995	373 42	78915 78	209,351 57
9,216 17	6,306 67	4,794 90	2,772 34	5,171 92	2,840 42	567 75	301 75	.....	.....	415 48	80414 51	207,668 58
1 83	467 56	.....	277 14	99 39	245 72	11 57	65 80	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,682 99
.....	.....	25 90	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	42 06	1498 73	.....

and paid as follows: Hay Street Station, assessed \$80 00; paid \$62 70, donated by citizens, paid \$4 75; Pittsboro Circuit, assessed \$48 00; paid \$35 30; Haw River Circuit, assessed \$54 00; paid \$11 13; Carthage, assessed \$37 00; paid \$37 00; Jonesboro Circuit, assessed \$54 00; paid \$40 00; Deep River Circuit, assessed \$24 00; paid \$8 15; Lillington Circuit, assessed \$30 00; paid \$24 37. Total assessed, \$578 00; paid \$443 76.

assessed \$51 00; paid \$51 00; Market Street Church, assessed \$13 70; paid \$13 70; Bladen Street Circuit, assessed \$19 50; paid \$19 50; Jacksonville and Richlands, assessed \$25 55; paid \$15 00; Burgaw Circuit, assessed \$25 55; paid \$14 85; Clinton Circuit, assessed \$25 55; paid \$15 25; Whiteville Circuit, assessed \$28 10; paid \$22 25; Carver's Creek Circuit, assessed \$20 45; paid \$18 00; Southport Station, assessed \$10 75; paid \$10 75. Total assessed, \$499 85; paid \$431 85.

Mt. Tirzah Circuit.....	6	31	263	82	18 60	2 88	1 41	1 75	24 64	1	14	3 90						
Roxboro Circuit.....	4	35	295		63 00	9 60		2 25	74 85	2	35	58 00	1	23	18 00			
Leasburg Circuit.....	6	45	226	2 70	60 00	10 70	7 00	55 00	132 70									
Milton Circuit.....	4	23	134		28 55			9 45	38 00	1	28							
Yanceyville Circuit..	5	38	301	80	44 77	2 50	6 25	20 00	73 52	1	25							
Burlington Circuit	5	29	217	94	23 85	12 63	2 85		39 33	1	14							
Burlington	1	20	225	250	50 00	13 40	6 50	58 64	128 54	1	62		1	55	20 00			
Haw River, Graham, East Burlington.....	3	33	328	104	72 17			5 00	77 17									
Alamance Circuit ...	4	20	300		40 00	24 00		49 00	113 00									
Total	61	487	4,658	4,635	\$1029 74	\$ 223 41	\$ 40 66	\$ 571 56	\$ 1,865 37	6	184	6	148	\$ 298 20	5	210	\$ 176 38	
Total last year	65	504	4,851	4,577	1010 72	301 61	27 53	598 86	1,938 72	1	25	6	123	197 47	7	336	287 59	2 43 117 11
Increase				58	\$19 02	\$.	\$13 13	\$.		5	159		25	\$ 100 73				
Decrease	4	17	193			78 20		27 30	73 35				2	126	111 21	2	43	117 11

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

Fayetteville, Hay St.....	1	25	212	500	\$95 12	\$ 31 66	\$ 4 25	\$.	\$ 131 03	1	28	1	35	\$ 90 23	1	32	\$ 9 20	
Campbellton and Rose Chapel.....	2	21	193	294	31 09	1 94	25	3 90	37 18									
Cumberland Circuit.....	6	50	270	115	34 00	6 00	3 00		43 00									
Cokesbury Circuit.....	6	41	331	109	29 57	38 06	1 19	8 05	76 87	1	31	1	11	30 40	1	19	16 85	
Sampson Circuit.....	6	40	365		19 21	1 53			20 74									
Lillington Circuit.....	5	37	188		17 14	27 31		23 00	67 45									
Buckhorn Circuit.....	6	38	329		34 74	2 00			36 74									
Dunn Circuit.....	6	30	236		41 50	6 00	7 20		54 70									
Newton Grove Ct.....	7	16	243		35 50				35 50									
Cape Fear Circuit.....	5	21	176		8 00	1 08	82		9 90							1	11	8 00
Pittsboro Circuit.....	7	60	458	250	37 50	34 00	8 00		79 50						1		17 00	
Haw River Circuit.....	5	41	402	270	61 15		9 00	40 00	110 15		1	25	18 73					
Deep River Circuit.....	6	45	612		43 65	13 85	2 00		59 50									
Siler City Circuit.....	4	31	387	151	82 87	88 95	2 87	1 45	176 14	1	35	1	28	24 00				
Carthage Circuit.....	3	23	298	400	66 79	22 10			88 89		1	24	25 10					
Jonesboro Circuit.....	5	47	395	125	68 56	16 81	1 68	18 23	105 28		1	16	16 95	1	20	3 00		
Total.....	80	566	5,095	2,214	\$ 706 39	\$ 291 29	\$ 40 26	\$ 94 63	\$ 1,132 57	3	94	6	139	\$ 205 41	4	71	\$ 46 05	1 11 \$ 8 00
Total last year ..	78	578	4,727	5,090	634 82	240 54	33 54	287 72	1,196 62	3	99	5	116	147 94	6	94	27 36	
Increase.....	2		368		71 57	50 75	6 72					1	23	57 47			18 69	1 11 8 00
Decrease		12		2,846				193 09	64 05		5				2	23		

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT.

Rockingham Station	1	10	115		\$ 50 19	\$ 3 33	\$.	\$.	\$ 53 52	1	25	1	21	\$ 37 05	1	30	\$ 16 30	
Rockingham Circuit.....	6	24	300	25	20 00				20 00									
Richmond Circuit	6	45	380	50	75 00	5 00	1 08	15 00	96 08									
Mt. Gilead Circuit.....	5	50	450	390	80 00	11 77	1 76		93 53	1	22	1	14	20 00				
Pekin Circuit.....	3	14	130		14 00				14 00									
Montgomery.....	8	32	165		20 05				20 05									

SUNDAY SCHOOL TABLE, NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE, YEAR 1899.

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT. — CONTINUED.

NAME OF CHARGE.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	Vols. in Library.	Amount Collected for Sunday Schools.	Amount Collected for Missions.	Amount Collected on Children's Day.	Amt. Collected for Other Objects.	Total Amount Raised.	No. of Epworth Leagues.	No. of Members.	No. Woman's For. Miss. Societies.	No. of Members.	Money Raised by Woman's Foreign Mission Society.	No. of Juvenile Mission Societies.	No. of Members.	Money Raised by Juvenile Societies.	No. of Women's Home Miss. Societies.	No. of Members.	Money Raised by Woman's Home Mission Society.
Star.....	8	41	400	.....	6 75	15 00	.....	.....	21 75	1	25	1	8	9 45	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Aberdeen Circuit.....	4	22	194	200	46 37	26 07	.....	.....	72 44	.....	.....	1	21	197 88	1	15	15 10	.....	.....	.....
St. John's Station.....	2	14	152	145	33 66	15 39	.....	.....	49 05	.....	.....	1	12	3 00	1	25	25 00	1	5	2 00
Laurinburg Station.....	1	13	100	350	50 81	10 00	6 20	.....	67 01	.....	.....	1	33	59 00	1	37	15 84	.....	.....	.....
Sneed's Grove Circuit.....	3	19	138	.....	20 10	.....	5 00	.....	25 10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Maxton and Caledonia.....	2	16	110	355	24 68	91 35	.....	10 00	126 03	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Red Springs Circuit.....	3	25	200	.....	45 00	.....	2 50	.....	47 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lumberton Circuit.....	5	33	350	100	50 00	24 66	9 10	.....	83 76	.....	.....	1	18	40 00	1	20	15 00	.....	.....	.....
Robeson Circuit.....	5	38	493	.....	30 00	27 76	8 00	32 67	98 43	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	62	401	3,677	1,615	\$ 566 61	\$ 230 33	\$ 33 64	\$ 57 67	\$ 888 25	3	72	7	127	\$ 366 38	5	127	\$ 87 24	1	5	\$ 2 00
Total last year.....	64	386	3,515	1,473	611 29	112 22	31 12	57 48	812 11	2	55	6	104	279 32	4	122	77 77	1	13	15 01
Increase.....	.....	15	162	142	.....	118 11	2 52	19	76 14	1	17	1	23	87 03	1	5	9 47	.....	.....	.....
Decrease.....	2	.....	.....	.....	44 68	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	13 01

WILMINGTON DISTRICT

Wilmington, Grace.....	1	48	360	\$ 131 99	\$ 102 50	\$ 16 30	\$ 40 79	\$ 291 58	1	102	1	58	\$ 77 55	1	34	\$ 9 40	1	32	\$ 26 75
Wilmington, Fifth Street...	1	26	250	.....	81 30	36 62	.....	.....	117 92	.....	.....	1	19	18 90	1	25	5 49	.....	.....	.....
Wilmington, Market Street	1	15	84	175	21 52	28 00	3 00	9 70	62 22	.....	.....	1	15	10 38	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wilmington, Bladen Street.	1	12	81	110	34 00	11 50	5 67	.....	51 17	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Scott's Hill Circuit.....	4	26	142	50	25 18	29 85	1 87	1 47	58 37	.....	.....	1	12	4 65	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Onslow Circuit.....	4	15	225	.....	20 00	8 00	.....	5 00	33 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jacksonville and Richlands	4	25	250	100	70 00	15 00	.....	.....	85 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Magnolia Circuit.....	2	5	75	.....	18 85	.....	.....	.....	18 85	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Kenansville Circuit.....	4	20	166	40	20 97	55	.....	.....	21 52	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burgaw Circuit.....	3	17	89	.....	20 00	.....	.....	.....	20 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Clinton Circuit.....	6	51	460	38	50 00	.....	.....	.....	50 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bladen Circuit.....	9	61	439	50	32 20	.....	.....	.....	32 20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Elizabeth Circuit.....	5	28	222	.....	8 00	.....	.....	.....	8 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Whiteville Circuit.....	5	32	260	165	37 50	7 00	.....	10 00	54 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Carver's Creek Circuit.....	6	35	260	60	38 00	6 30	1 86	14 00	60 16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Waccamaw Circuit.....	7	45	280	.....	7 00	.....	.....	.....	7 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Brunswick Circuit.....	8	43	225	.....	37 00	50 00	.....	9 00	96 00	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Southport Station.....	1	21	178	.....	70 30	15 00	.....	10 00	95 30	1	51	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	16	12 60
Total.....	72	525	4,046	788	\$ 723 81	\$ 310 32	\$ 28 70	\$ 99 96	\$ 1,162 79	2	153	5	104	\$ 111 48	2	59	\$ 14 89	2	49	\$ 38 75
Total last year.....	76	559	4,285	1,805	633 57	226 54	53 50	111 35	1,045 06	1	46	7	148	115 31	2	74	45 10	2	43	119 72
Increase.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	70 24	83 78	.....	.....	117 73	1	107	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	.....
Decrease.....	4	34	239	1,017	.....	.....	24 80	11 39	.....	.....	.....	2	44	3 83	.....	15	30 21	.....	.....	80 97

NEW BERNE DISTRICT.

New Berne, Centenary	2	48	513	\$ 166 82	\$ 60 00	\$ 50 00	\$ 20 38	\$ 252 20	1	44	1	74	\$ 179 00	1	68	\$ 42 77	1	44	\$ 108 16
Goldsboro, St. Paul.....	2	45	383	250	183 37	38 16	2 15	1,000 00	1,223 68	.....	.....	1	38	86 71	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Goldsboro, St. John.....	2	24	160	141	51 99	24 23	.....	22 25	98 47	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Goldsboro Circuit.....	6	38	335	.....	29 35	1 18	.....	.....	30 53	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mt Olive Circuit.....	6	35	304	.....	77 10	6 00	.....	.....	83 10	.....	1	22	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
La Grange Circuit.....	6	40	325	.....	40 00	6 90	1 45	10 00	58 35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Snow Hill Circuit.....	6	46	390	255	50 00	.....	.....	.....	50 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	30	35 00	.....	.....
Kinston Station.....	1	24	252	340	64 00	46 13	.....	72 66	182 79	.....	1	26	47 28	1	.....	.....	1	36	55 30
Grifton Circuit.....	8	57	462	22	91 03	90 56	8 00	.....	189 59	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jones Circuit.....	7	38	341	125	37 09	8 81	2 63	.....	48 53	.....	1	4	8 00	1	15	8 00	.....	.....	.....
Craven Circuit.....	7	44	278	300	58 22	42 54	5 15	4 80	110 71	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pamlico Circuit.....	7	40	454	45	66 00	8 16	.....	.....	69 16	.....	1	11	12 00	.....	.....	.....	1	13	8 55
Carteret Circuit.....	6	70	234	476	35 75	75 00	.....	30 00	140 75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Morehead City Station.....	1	18	152	.....	48 77	129 77	.....	126 87	305 41	.....	1	9	23 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Beaufort Station.....	2	26	210	275	70 71	17 00	10 60	50 00	148 31	.....	1	17	25 75	1	185	27 60	1	25	16 06
Straits Circuit.....	2	23	161	215	21 75	4 21	.....	.....	25 96	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Core Sound Mission.....	3	12	63	.....	4 53	.....	.....	.....	4 53	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	74	628	5,017	2,444	1,096 48	553 65	34 98	1,336 96	3,022 07	1	44	8	201	422 24	6	298	113 37	4	118	188 07
Total last year	84	707	5,081	2,421	1,095 88	547 11	38 93	736 06	2,417 98	1	75	8	193	316 35	4	123	103 50	3	55	213 63
Increase	23	60	6 54	600 90	604 09	8	105 89	2	175	\$ 9 87	1	63
Decrease	10	79	14	.....	.....	3 95	.....	.....	.....	.....	31	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25 56

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

Washington Station.....	1	22	200	200	\$ 70 00	\$ 5 00	\$	\$	\$ 75 00	....	...	1	19	\$ 33 20	1	19	\$ 10 00	1	....	\$ .....
Washington Circuit.....	3	26	180	40	15 07	7 80	.....	20 00	42 87	1	41	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Aurora Circuit.....	4	36	193	180	28 85	34 40	3 30	50	67 05	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Swan Quarter Circuit.....	5	20	160	.....	20 78	..	..	.....	20 78	1	37	1	8	10 00	....	....	....	....	....	....
Mattamuskeet Circuit.....	4	33	309	.....	20 18	8 33	2 96	10 83	42 30	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Fairfield Station.....	3	28	161	.....	25 00	13 00	2 00	.....	40 00	2	57	1	23	47 07	....	....	....	....	....	....
Greenville Station.....	1	12	125	175	70 80	17 00	.....	40 20	128 00	....	....	1	15	36 30	1	34	19 55	....	....	....
Ayden Circuit.....	3	12	138	.....	17 40	3 10	.....	.....	20 50	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Grimesland & Vanceboro..	6	30	220	.....	20 00	1 44	.....	.....	21 44	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	6	....
Bethel Station	1	11	90	24	20 00	6 00	2 50	.....	28 50	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	11	43 00
Tarboro Station.....	1	15	95	300	45 45	7 68	.....	18 22	71 35	....	1	8	15 00	1	5	6 00	....	....	....	....
Conetoe Circuit	5	26	151	100	24 30	4 74	.....	8 00	37 04	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
South Edgecombe Circuit..	4	20	150	..	20 07	6 00	.....	.....	26 07	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Rocky Mount Station.....	1	20	110	300	100 00	14 58	.....	164 58	279 16	....	1	18	57 60	1	15	20 45	....	....	....	....
So. Rocky Mt & Marvin Chap	2	17	113	.....	21 13	6 23	57	.....	27 93	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Nashville Circuit.....	8	46	476	42	35 40	64	1 60	.....	37 64	....	....	....	....	1	25	17 00	....	....	....	....
Spring Hope Circuit.....	6	32	406	.....	23 43	3 81	.....	.....	27 24	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Wilson Station.....	1	27	255	..	95 11	25 10	..	65 00	185 21	1	30	1	30	25 00	1	30	15 00	....	....	....
Fremont Circuit.....	7	89	360	25	49 38	.....	.....	.....	49 58	....	2	29	47 00	1	12	13 00	1	17	5 00	....
Ocracoke and Portsmouth	2	24	213	219	25 00	4 50	.....	1 50	31 00	....	....	1	20	9 50	..	....	....	....	....	....
Total	68	496	4,105	1,605	\$ 747 35	\$ 169 35	\$ 12 93	\$ 328 83	\$ 1,258 46	5	165	10	170	\$ 280 67	7	140	\$ 101 00	4	34	\$ 48 00
Total last year	66	485	3,910	1,394	567 95	129 32	15 62	250 84	963 73	6	310	12	181	249 60	6	182	102 76	....	....	291 24
Increase.....	2	11	195	211	179 40	40 03	.....	77 99	294 73	....	....	....	....	31 07	1	....	....	4	34	....
Decrease .....	....	....	....	....	....	2 69	....	....	....	1	145	2	11	....	....	42	1 76	....	....	243 24

ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT.

Elizabeth City	1	42	315	220	\$ 122 00	\$ 91 53	\$ 16 32	\$ 60 80	\$ 250 65	2	136	1	50	\$ 120 37	.....	.....	\$ .....	.....	\$ .....
Paspuotank Circuit	4	40	256	300	25 55	.....	6 43	.....	31 98	.....	.....	1	15	6 10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Camden Circuit	4	43	275	174	35 24	25 00	2 45	48 28	110 97	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	48	11 25	.....	.....
South Camden Circuit	2	31	246	262	30 94	.....	.....	5 00	35 94	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Currituck Circuit	6	42	350	500	50 00	25 00	6 00	100 00	181 00	1	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
North Gates Circuit	4	29	275	20	22 00	22 10	.....	.....	44 10	.....	.....	2	38	55 47	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gates Circuit	5	38	389	.....	62 29	93 79	7 65	5 00	168 73	.....	3	55	88 55	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Perquimans Circuit	7	47	395	15	33 56	35 03	17 00	13 00	98 59	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hertford Circuit	4	39	253	658	81 00	28 75	14 47	8 75	132 97	1	39	1	24	114 66	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Edenton Station	1	14	108	200	42 23	12 59	8 00	18 25	81 07	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	50	22 12	.....	.....
Plymouth Station	2	14	140	75	35 10	.....	1 61	6 00	42 71	1	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Roper Station	4	30	280	80	73 83	50 00	.....	8 75	132 58	2	70	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pantego Circuit	2	10	100	.....	7 00	.....	.....	.....	7 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Columbia Circuit	7	35	300	150	25 00	4 00	75	1 00	30 75	2	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dare Circuit	3	24	175	50	20 00	.....	.....	.....	20 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Roanoke Island	2	32	265	150	47 27	102 50	.....	8 25	158 02	1	16	2	31	41 48	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Kitty Hawk Circuit	4	20	150	100	10 00	.....	.....	10 00	20 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20 00
Kennekeet Circuit	4	30	250	260	50 00	.....	.....	.....	50 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hatteras Circuit	2	12	90	.....	20 26	.....	.....	11 70	31 96	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	68	572	4,612	3,214	\$ 793 27	\$ 490 29	\$ 80 68	\$ 304 78	\$ 1,669 62	10	371	10	213	\$ 426 63	2	98	\$ 33 37	.....	\$ 20 00
Total last year	69	576	4,751	3,143	811 30	452 12	82 88	192 47	1,538 77	3	90	9	174	277 69	2	102	53 35	.....	20 00
Increase .....	.....	.....	.....	71	.....	38 17	.....	112 31	130 25	7	281	1	39	148 94	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Decrease	1	4	139	.....	18 03	.....	2 20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	19 98	.....	.....	.....

RECAPITULATION.

Raleigh District	60	424	4,237	3,328	\$1099 15	\$ 108 42	\$ 28 93	\$1100 67	\$ 2,337 17	5	231	9	211	\$ 420 16	9	244	\$ 91 71	2	60	\$ 105 46
Durham District	61	487	4,658	4,635	1,029 74	223 41	40 66	571 56	1,865 37	6	184	6	148	298 20	5	210	176 38	.....	.....	.....
Fayetteville District	80	565	5,095	2,214	703 39	291 29	40 26	94 63	1,132 57	3	94	6	139	205 41	4	71	46 05	1	11	8 00
Rockingham District	62	401	3,677	1,615	566 61	230 33	33 64	57 67	883 25	3	72	7	127	363 38	5	127	87 24	1	5	2 00
Wilmington District	72	525	4,046	783	723 81	310 32	28 70	99 96	1,162 79	2	153	5	104	111 48	2	59	14 89	2	49	38 75
New Berne District	74	628	5,017	2,444	1,096 43	553 65	34 98	1,336 96	3,022 07	1	44	8	201	422 24	6	298	113 37	4	118	188 07
Washington District	68	496	4,105	1,605	747 35	169 35	12 93	328 83	1,258 46	5	165	10	170	280 67	7	140	101 00	4	34	48 00
Warrenton District	73	546	4,071	2,443	804 76	321 78	41 18	293 70	1,371 42	3	129	13	337	403 43	12	386	225 13	5	88	108 91
Elizabeth City District	68	572	4,612	3,214	793 27	490 29	80 68	304 78	1,669 02	10	371	10	213	426 63	2	98	33 37	.....	.....	20 00
Total	618	4645	39,518	22,286	7,567 56	2,698 84	341 96	4,098 76	14,707 12	38	1443	74	1650	2334 69	52	1,633	889 14	19	365	519 13
Total last year	631	4721	38,959	25,270	7,100 00	2,345 93	325 16	2,708 14	12,479 28	24	1070	74	1497	2208 30	48	1,612	1,131 44	11	221	838 03
Increase .....	.....	.....	559	.....	467 56	352 86	16 80	1,390 62	2,227 84	14	373	.....	153	726 30	4	21	.....	8	144	.....
Decrease	13	76	.....	2,984	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	242 30	.....	.....	318 90

Chronological Roll of the Conference.

E., Elder; D., Deacon; S'y., Supernumerary; S'd., Superannuated; P.E., Presiding Elder; †Not present at the Session of Conference. Those not numbered have not been received into full connection in the Conference. P2., Probationer 2d year; P1., Probationer 1st year.

NUMBER.	NAME.	WHERE ADMITTED INTO CONFERENCE.	When Admitted.	Present Relation.
1	T. Page Ricaud.....	Norfolk.....	1841	S'd.....
2	†Isaac W. Avent.....	Raleigh.....	1853	S'd.....
3	Moses J. Hunt.....	Wilmington.....	1855	S'd.....
4	Marcus C. Thomas.....	Wilmington.....	1855	S'd.....
5	Alexander D. Betts.....	Greensboro.....	1856	E.....
6	†John W. Jenkins.....	New Berne.....	1858	E.....
7	Robert A. Willis.....	New Berne.....	1858	P. E....
8	Bernice B. Culbreth.....	Beaufort.....	1859	E.....
9	Thomas J. Gattis.....	Salisbury.....	1860	S'd.....
10	William H. Moore.....	Salisbury.....	1860	P. E. ..
11	Alexander R. Raven.....	Salisbury.....	1860	E.....
12	Edwin A. Yates.....	Salisbury.....	1860	P. E....
13	James C. Crisp.....	Newbury, S. C.	1864	E.....
14	John E. Thompson.....	Raleigh.....	1865	E.....
15	Robah F. Bumpass.....	Charlotte.....	1871	P. E....
16	Frederick D. Swindell.....	Charlotte.....	1871	E.....
17	Philip Greening.....	Charlotte.....	1871	E.....
18	William C. Norman.....	Fayetteville.....	1872	E.....
19	Richard J. Moorman.....	Petersburg, Va.....	1872	E.....
20	Jonathan Sanford.....	Fayetteville.....	1872	E.....
21	Nathaniel M. Journey.....	Raleigh.....	1874	E.....
22	William S. Rone.....	Raleigh.....	1874	P. E....
23	John T. Gibbs.....	Raleigh.....	1874	P. E....
24	Leonidas L. Nash.....	Raleigh.....	1874	E.....
25	James M. Rhodes.....	Wilmington.....	1875	E.....
26	Benjamin R. Hall.....	Wilmington.....	1875	P. E....
27	Franklin A. Bishop.....	Greensboro.....	1876	P. E....
28	Nereus E. Coltrane.....	Salisbury.....	1877	E.....
29	Rufus C. Beaman.....	Salisbury.....	1877	E.....
30	Andrew P. Tyer.....	Salisbury.....	1877	E.....
31	Thomas J. Browning.....	Salisbury.....	1877	E.....
32	George A. Oglesby.....	Cleveland, Tenn.....	1877	S'd.....
33	Ludolphus E. Thompson.....	Charlotte.....	1878	E.....
34	Daniel L. Earnhardt.....	Charlotte.....	1878	E.....
35	James E. Bristowe.....	Charlotte.....	1878	E.....
36	John N. Cole.....	Charlotte.....	1878	E.....

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37	Charles R. Taylor.....	Virginia.....	1878	E.....
38	James O. Guthrie.....	Wilson.....	1879	S'y.....
39	Francis B. McCall.....	Wilson.....	1879	E.....
40	William L. Cuninggim.....	Wilson.....	1879	E.....
41	Daniel A. Watkins.....	Wilson.....	1879	E.....
42	Zachary T. Harrison.....	Durham.....	1881	E.....
43	†William J. Crowson.....	Durham.....	1881	E.....
44	†Jesse H. Page.....	Durham.....	1881	S'd.....
45	John H. Hall.....	Raleigh.....	1882	E.....
46	Clayter W. Smith.....	Raleigh.....	1882	E.....
47	Charles O. DuRant.....	Raleigh.....	1882	E.....
48	Barna B. Holder.....	Raleigh.....	1882	S'd.....
49	Alpheus McCullen.....	Raleigh.....	1882	E.....
50	Jacob A. Lee.....	Raleigh.....	1882	E.....
51	John C. Kilgo.....	Greenville, S. C.....	1882	E.....
52	Barzillai C. Allred.....	Statesville.....	1883	E.....
53	John E. Underwood.....	Statesville.....	1883	E.....
54	James M. Ashby.....	Statesville.....	1883	E.....
55	Daniel H. Tuttle.....	Statesville.....	1883	E.....
56	Charles C. Brothers.....	Statesville.....	1883	E.....
57	John B. Hurley.....	Statesville.....	1883	E.....
58	Roderick B. John.....	Statesville.....	1883	E.....
59	Frank M. Shamburger.....	Statesville.....	1883	E.....
60	Thomas J. Daily.....	Statesville.....	1883	E.....
61	Oliver Ryder.....	Statesville.....	1883	E.....
62	Miles M. McFarland.....	Wilmington.....	1884	E.....
63	John A. Hornaday.....	Wilmington.....	1884	E.....
64	Conder P. Jerome.....	Wilmington.....	1884	E.....
65	William W. Rose.....	Wilmington.....	1884	E.....
66	George B. Perry.....	Wilmington.....	1884	E.....
67	Erskine Pope.....	Charlotte.....	1885	E.....
68	†William S. Davis.....	Charlotte.....	1885	S'd.....
69	George W. Fisher.....	Charlotte.....	1885	E.....
70	William A. Forbes.....	Charlotte.....	1885	E.....
71	William H. Townsend.....	Charlotte.....	1885	E.....
72	†Nathan H. Guyton.....	Charlotte.....	1885	E.....
73	†Solomon Pool.....	Charlotte.....	1885	S'd.....
74	†Edward H. Davis.....	Reidsville.....	1886	E.....
75	John D. Pegram.....	Reidsville.....	1886	E.....
76	Charles W. Robinson.....	Reidsville.....	1886	E.....
77	Thomas N. Ivey.....	Reidsville.....	1886	E.....
78	†Richard W. Townsend.....	Reidsville.....	1886	S'y.....
79	Daniel C. Geddie.....	Reidsville.....	1886	E.....
80	James G. Johnson.....	Reidsville.....	1886	E.....
81	†William H. Puckett.....	Reidsville.....	1886	E.....
82	George F. Smith.....	Reidsville.....	1886	E.....

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83	Henry B. Anderson	Reidsville	1886	E
84	James M. Lowder	Fayetteville	1887	E
85	Hampton McRae Jackson	Fayetteville	1887	E
86	Leonidas M. Chaffin	Fayetteville	1887	E
87	George T. Simmons	New Berne	1888	E
88	John J. Barker	New Berne	1888	E
89	John Henry Shore	New Berne	1888	E
90	Magruder H. Tuttle	New Berne	1888	E
91	Eli C. Sell	New Berne	1888	E
92	Louland S. Etheridge	New Berne	1888	E
93	† William E. Edmonson	New Berne	1888	E
94	Neil McKay Watson	New Berne	1888	E
95	Edwin C. Glenn	New Berne	1888	E
96	James H. M. Giles	New Berne	1888	E
97	Milton D. Hix	Greensboro	1889	E
98	Robert H. Broom	Greensboro	1889	E
99	Richard F. Taylor	Greensboro	1889	E
100	Asa J. Parker	Greensboro	1889	E
101	Henry G. Stamey	Greensboro	1889	E
102	Arthur R. Goodchild	Richmond	1889	E
103	John T. Bagwell	Greensboro	1889	E
104	William Y. Everton	Wilson	1890	E
105	Jasper B. Thompson	Wilson	1890	E
106	George W. Starling	Wilson	1890	E
107	John C. Jones	Wilson	1890	E
108	George D. Langston	Wilson	1890	E
109	James M. Rice	Concord	1890	E
110	Nathan H. D. Wilson	Greenville	1891	E
111	Kenneth D. Holmes	Greenville	1891	E
112	J. A. Peeler	Charlotte	1891	E
113	Lucius S. Massey	Greenville	1891	E
114	Edward E. Rose	Greenville	1891	E
115	Michael Bradshaw	Greenville	1891	E
116	Jesse D. Bundy	Greenville	1891	E
117	Jesse J. Porter	Greenville	1891	E
118	Jesse W. Martin	Greenville	1891	E
119	Jesse T. Draper	Greenville	1891	E
120	Lemon H. Joyner, Jr.	Goldsboro	1892	E
121	Allison L. Ormond	Goldsboro	1892	E
122	Doctor N. Caviness	Goldsboro	1892	E
123	James H. Frizzelle	Goldsboro	1892	E
124	Thomas H. Sutton	Goldsboro	1892	E
125	Marion T. Plyler	Goldsboro	1892	E
126	James P. Pate	Goldsboro	1892	E
127	Julian L. Rumley	Goldsboro	1892	E
128	Samuel T. Moyle	Goldsboro	1892	E

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129	John W. Wallace.....	Goldsboro.....	1892	E.....
130	Henry E. Tripp.....	Goldsboro.....	1892	E.....
131	Wesley F. Craven.....	Wilmington.....	1893	E.....
132	William C. Merritt.....	Wilmington.....	1893	E.....
133	William E. Hocutt.....	Wilmington.....	1893	E.....
134	J. D. McAlister.....			E.....
135	Robert W. Bailey.....	Durham.....	1894	E.....
136	Solon A. Cotton.....	Durham.....	1894	E.....
137	Samuel Leffers.....	Durham.....	1894	E.....
138	Rufus Bradley.....	Durham.....	1894	E.....
139	Raleigh A. Bruton.....	Durham.....	1894	E.....
140	Wiley D. Sasser.....	Statesville.....	1894	D.....
141	†Jesse L. Cuninggim.....	Elizabeth City.....	1895	D.....
142	David B. Parker.....	Elizabeth City.....	1895	E.....
143	Robert L. Davis.....	Elizabeth City.....	1895	E.....
144	Yancey E. Wright.....	Elizabeth City.....	1895	E.....
145	Hilary A. Humble.....	Elizabeth City.....	1895	E.....
146	Ernest W. Fox.....	Reidsville.....	1895	E.....
147	Bryan C. Thompson.....	Kinston.....	1896	D.....
148	Robert H. Willis.....	Kinston.....	1896	D.....
149	Andrew J. Groves.....	Kinston.....	1896	D.....
150	Albert S. Barnes.....	Kinston.....	1896	D.....
151	Nathaniel L. Seabolt.....	Raleigh.....	1897	E.....
152	Lawrence O. Wyche.....	Raleigh.....	1897	E.....
153	James M. Terrei.....	Winchester, Tenn.....	1895	D.....
154	Joseph H. McCracken.....	Raleigh.....	1897	D.....
155	James A. Dailey.....	Raleigh.....	1897	D.....
156	Saul E. Mercer.....	Raleigh.....	1897	D.....
157	James M. Benson.....	Raleigh.....	1897	D.....
158	Gaston T. Adams.....	Raleigh.....	1897	D.....
159	John C. Humble.....	Raleigh.....	1897	D.....
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1	Greensboro	Jan. 1838.	T. A. Morris.....	H. G. Leigh.....	80	3,000
2	Salisbury.....	Jan. 1839.	J. O. Andrew.....	H. G. Leigh.....
3	New Berne.....	Jan. 1840.	T. A. Morris.....	H. G. Leigh.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4	Mocksville.....	Dec. 1840.	T. A. Morris.....	S. S. Bryant.....	16,099	4,480	.....	.....
5	Raleigh.....	Oct. 1841.	Rev. M. Brock.....	S. S. Bryant.....	16,378	4,737	.....	.....
6	Louisburg.....	Oct. 1842.	B. Waugh.....	S. S. Bryant.....	17,698	5,163	.....	.....
7	Halifax.....	Oct. 1843.	T. A. Morris.....	S. S. Bryant.....	19,189	6,236	.....	.....
8	Pittsboro.....	Dec. 1844.	J. Soule.....	S. S. Bryant.....	19,639	6,390	.....	.....
9	Washington.....	Nov. 1845.	J. O. Andrew.....	S. S. Bryant.....	20,493	6,783	114	4,414
10	New Berne.....	Dec. 1846.	Wm. Capers.....	S. S. Bryant.....	20,263	6,811	.....	.....
11	Greensboro.....	Dec. 1847.	J. O. Andrew.....	S. S. Bryant.....	20,347	6,715	.....	.....
12	Danville, Va.....	Nov. 1848.	Wm. Capers.....	C. F. Deems.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
13	Oxford.....	Nov. 1849.	J. O. Andrew.....	C. F. Deems.....	21,258	6,519	.....	.....
14	Warrenton.....	Nov. 1850.	R. Paine.....	C. F. Deems.....	21,110	6,479	.....	.....
15	Salisbury.....	Nov. 1851.	J. O. Andrew.....	I. T. Wyche.....	26,092	10,019	192	7,690
16	Louisburg.....	Nov. 1852.	Wm. Capers.....	I. T. Wyche.....	27,859	10,779	210	9,144
17	Raleigh.....	Nov. 1853.	R. Paine.....	I. T. Wyche.....	29,127	11,799	226	9,298
18	Pittsboro.....	Nov. 1854.	G. F. Pierce.....	I. T. Wyche.....	30,407	12,041	208	10,134
19	Wilmington.....	Nov. 1855.	J. O. Andrew.....	I. T. Wyche.....	29,461	10,187	244	11,178
20	Greensboro.....	Nov. 1856.	John Early.....	I. T. Wyche.....	29,473	11,812	293	13,553
21	Goldsboro.....	Dec. 1857.	G. F. Pierce.....	W. E. Pell.....	29,451	11,500	270	11,571
22	New Berne.....	Dec. 1858.	H. H. Kavanaugh.....	W. E. Pell.....	27,997	11,770	270	11,092
23	Beaufort.....	Dec. 1859.	John Early.....	W. E. Pell.....	28,566	11,798	319	12,413
24	Salisbury.....	Dec. 1860.	R. Paine.....	W. E. Pell.....	29,011	12,043	308	13,285
25	Louisburg.....	Dec. 1861.	J. O. Andrew.....	W. E. Pell.....	28,602	11,593	261	11,513
26	Raleigh.....	Dec. 1862.	John Early.....	J. W. Lewis.....	28,033	11,717	199	8,042
27	Greensboro.....	Dec. 1863.	G. F. Pierce.....	J. W. Lewis.....	28,263	11,828	.....	.....
28	Mocksville.....	Dec. 1864.	D. B. Nicholson.....	J. W. Lewis.....	27,198	9,299	245	10,131
29	Raleigh.....	Dec. 1865.	John Early.....	J. W. Lewis.....	28,168	7,087	.....	.....
30	Fayetteville.....	Nov. 1866.	G. F. Pierce.....	B. Craven.....	30,540	5,074	252	11,895
31	Wilmington.....	Nov. 1867.	D. S. Doggett.....	B. Craven.....	31,610	3,159	343	17,576
32	Statesville.....	Dec. 1868.	W. M. Wightman.....	B. Craven.....	32,693	1,339	384	20,248
33	New Berne.....	Nov. 1869.	D. S. Doggett.....	B. Craven.....	33,310	1,196	419	20,000
34	Greensboro.....	Nov. 1870.	G. F. Pierce.....	B. Craven.....	46,256	1,205	507	28,551
35	Charlotte.....	Nov. 1871.	R. Paine.....	B. Craven.....	47,077	651	580	28,942
36	Fayetteville.....	Dec. 1872.	R. Paine.....	B. Craven.....	48,452	562	584	28,441
37	Greensboro.....	Dec. 1873.	J. C. Keener.....	B. Craven.....	49,137	465	565	29,593
38	Raleigh.....	Dec. 1874.	E. M. Marvin.....	B. Craven.....	49,926	339	586	28,259
39	Wilmington.....	Dec. 1875.	H. N. McTyeire.....	B. Craven.....	53,671	421	624	31,572
40	Greensboro.....	Nov. 1876.	H. H. Kavanaugh.....	B. Craven.....	56,052	355	622	32,448
41	Salisbury.....	Nov. 1877.	D. S. Doggett.....	B. Craven.....	58,624	433	665	34,934
42	Charlotte.....	Nov. 1878.	G. P. Pierce.....	B. Craven.....	61,854	445	713	38,998
43	Wilson.....	Dec. 1879.	W. M. Wightman.....	B. Craven.....	65,303	314	771	41,949
44	Winston.....	Dec. 1880.	J. C. Keener.....	B. Craven.....	67,295	220	743	43,753
45	Durham.....	Dec. 1881.	G. F. Pierce.....	B. Craven.....	68,156	217	764	44,686
46	Raleigh.....	Dec. 1882.	J. C. Keener.....	A. W. Mangum.....	70,375	215	762½	47,139
47	Statesville.....	Dec. 1883.	J. C. Keener.....	D. W. Bain.....	72,495	158	813½	50,584
48	Wilmington.....	Dec. 1884.	L. Parker.....	D. W. Bain.....	75,128	182	845	51,536
49	Charlotte.....	Dec. 1885.	J. C. Keener.....	D. W. Bain.....	77,731	187	853	50,593
50	Reidsville.....	Dec. 1886.	J. C. Granbery.....	D. W. Bain.....	83,102	208	886	57,077
51	Fayetteville.....	Dec. 1887.	J. S. Key.....	D. W. Bain.....	86,510	183	936	61,324
52	New Berne.....	Nov. 1888.	J. C. Granbery.....	D. W. Bain.....	89,084	170	971	65,720
53	Greensboro.....	Nov. 1889.	R. H. Hargrove.....	D. W. Bain.....	92,242	63	975	65,419
54	Wilson.....	Dec. 1890.	J. C. Keener.....	D. W. Bain.....	52,895	22	564	38,274
55	Greenville.....	Nov. 1891.	C. B. Galloway.....	D. W. Bain.....	55,734	27	583	39,321
56	Goldsboro.....	Dec. 1892.	W. W. Duncan.....	W. L. Cuninggim.....	57,543	24	592	38,205
57	Wilmington.....	Dec. 1893.	W. W. Duncan.....	W. L. Cuninggim.....	57,908	22	597	38,352
58	Durham.....	Dec. 1894.	A. W. Wilson.....	W. L. Cuninggim.....	63,096	20	638	44,123
59	Elizabeth City.....	Dec. 1895.	A. W. Wilson.....	W. L. Cuninggim.....	63,298	22	636	42,913
60	Kinston.....	Dec. 1896.	A. W. Wilson.....	W. L. Cuninggim.....	64,879	26	645	43,893
61	Raleigh.....	Dec. 1897.	R. K. Hargrove.....	W. L. Cuninggim.....	65,325	23	635	44,667
62	Elizabeth City.....	Nov. 1898.	O. P. Fitzgerald.....	W. L. Cuninggim.....	65,728	631	43,680
63	Washington.....	Dec. 1899.	E. R. Hendrix.....	W. L. Cuninggim.....	65,864	618	44,163

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B. R. Newcomb.....	Virginia.....	1834	Raleigh.	1837	Florida..
Robert E. Watkins.....	1838
W. S. Johnson.....	Virginia.....	1837	Virginia.....	1841	Raleigh, N. C.
J. W. Jackson.....	....	.....	1838	.....	1842	Wake county, N. C. ....	.....
Chappel Featherston.....	....	.....	1836	Virginia	1843	Washington, N. C.	Washington, N. C.
Henry Speck.....	1802	Virginia.....	.....	.....	1844	Lexington, N. C.	Boydton, Va.....
John T. Brame.....	....	New Berne, N. C.....	1839	Salisbury, N. C....	1845	Washington, N. C.....	New Berne, N. C.
William W. Turner.....	1812	Virginia.....	1838	North Carolina....	1846	Virginia .....	.....
William Compton.....	....	England.	1839	Virginia.....	1847	Oxford, N. C.....	Granville county, N.C.
James W. Jeter.....	1819	Virginia.....	1841	Virginia.....	1847	North Carolina....	.....
Thomas R. Brame.....	1796	Virginia.....	1820	Virginia.....	1848	Granville county, N.C.	.....
John A. Miller.....	1797	Virginia.....	1827	Virginia.....	1849	North Carolina....	.....
Thomas S. Cassodey.....	1817	Virginia.....	1846	North Carolina....	1850	North Carolina....	Wilmington, N. C.....
Alsa H. Tucker.....	....	North Carolina.. ..	1839	Salisbury, N. C....	1850	Wake county, N. C....	Raleigh, N. C.....
John Rich.....	1815	Davie county, N. C....	1840	New Berne, N. C....	1851	Davidson county, N.C.	.....
James L. Nicholson....	1814	Iredell county, N. C.	1834	Raleigh, N. C....	1852	Duplin county, N. C....	Duplin county, N. C....
John W. Wilson.....	1825	Chatham county, N. C.	1847	Greensboro, N. C.	1852	Chapel Hill, N. C.....	Chatham county, N.C.
Sidney D. Bumpass.....	1808	Person county, N. C.	1837	Petersburg, Va....	1851	Salisbury, N. C....	Greensboro, N. C....
Hezekiah G. Leigh.....	1795	Perquimans county, N.C.	1818	Virginia	1853	Virginia	Boydton, Va.....
E. E. Freeman.....	1820	Granville county, N. C.	1843	Halifax C. H., Va.	1854	Whitmell, Va.....	Whitmell, Va.....
Joseph Goodman.....	1801	Fluvanna county, Va....	1828	Virginia	1856	Virginia	Halifax, Va.....
James M. Westbrooks..	1827	North Carolina.	1851	North Carolina....	1856	Gulford county, N. C.	Greensboro, N. C.....
J. W. Parks.....	1818	Surry county, N. C.....	1846	North Carolina....	1856	Beaufort, N. C.	Beaufort, N. C.....
William W. Nesbit.....	1812	Catawba county, N. C.	1840	North Carolina....	1856	Patrick county, Va....	.....
Malcomb L. Douglass..	....	Richmond county, N. C.	1853	North Carolina....	1856	Greensboro, N. C.....	Greensboro, N. C.....
James Purvis.....	1800	Bertie county, N. C....	1851	New Berne, N. C....	1857	Wilkesboro, N. C.....	Wilkesboro, N. C.....
Thomas Jones.....	1802	North Carolina....	1831	New Berne, N. C....	1857	Davidson county, N.C.	Davidson county, Va.

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Arthur F. Harris.....	1818	Montgomery county, NC	1852	Louisburg, N. C. ...	1857	Thomasville, N. C.	Thomasville, N. C.
James Patterson.....	1814	Beaufort, N. C.	1848	North Carolina.....	1858	Iredell county, N. C. ...	Iredell county, N. C. ...
William I. Langdon.....	1814	Orange county, N. C.	1846	North Carolina.....	1859	Lincolnton, N. C.	Lincolnton, N. C.
Alexander Gattis.....	1803	Virginia.....	1825	Virginia.....	1859	Orange county, N. C. ...	Orange county, N. C. ...
William Anderson.....	1803	Rockingham county, NC	1850	Warrenton, N. C. ...	1859	Caswell county, N. C. ...	Near Pelham, N. C.
James H. Brent.....	1818	Pasquotank county, N. C.	1855	North Carolina.....	1859	New Berne, N. C.	New Berne, N. C.
J. L. Newby.....	1837	Chatham county, N. C. ...	1858	New Berne, N. C. ...	1862	Fayetteville, N. C.	Fayetteville, N. C.
Benjamin F. Guthrie...	1801	Iredell county, N. C. ...	1818	North Carolina.....	1862	Virginia.....	Chatham county, N. C.
John M. Gunn.....	1800	Orange county, N. C. ...	1837	Petersburg, Va.	1862	North Carolina.....	Statesville, N. C.
Thompson Garrard. . .	1837	Rockingham county, NC	1837	Virginia.....	1863	North Carolina.....	Johnson county, N. C.
John C. Prent.....	1815	Virginia.....	1838	New Berne, N. C. ...	1863	Columbus county, N. C.	Whiteville, N. C.
R. C. Maynard.....	1833	Franklin county, N. C. ...	1855	North Carolina.....	1863	Granville county, N. C.	Granville county, N. C.
Mediens H. Hight.....	1816	North Carolina.....	1843	Halifax C. H., Va. ...	1863	North Carolina.....	Kittrell, N. C.
David W. Doub.....	1817	Orange county, N. C. ...	1841	Raleigh, N. C.	1864	Iredell county, N. C. ...	Stokes county, N. C. ...
John W. Tinnin.....	1809	Iredell county, N. C. ...	1828	Virginia.....	1865	Pittsboro, N. C.	Pittsboro, N. C.
Joshua Bethel.....	1809	Wake county, N. C.	1831	New Berne, N. C. ...	1865	Greensboro, N. C.	Greensboro, N. C.
David B. Nicholson.....	1837	Warlington, S. C.	1860	Salisbury, N. C.	1866	Magnolia, N. C.	Duplin county, N. C. ...
W. A. Smith.....	1799	Isle of Skye, Scotland...	1835	New Berne, N. C. ...	1867	Wake county, N. C.	Wake county, N. C.
William A. Wheeler.....	1796	Stokes county, N. C. ...	1818	Mississippi.....	1869	Leasburg, N. C.	Leasburg, N. C.
John R. McIntosh.....	1829	Randolph county, N. C. ...	1835	Baltimore.....	1869	Cumberland co., N. C.	Cumberland co., N. C.
Peter Doub.....	1794	Baltimore.....	1868	Abbeville, S. C.	1869	Greensboro, N. C.	Greensboro, N. C.
Jeffrey H. Robbins.....	1846	North Carolina.....	1867	Wilmington, N. C. ...	1869	Clinton, N. C.	Clinton, N. C.
George W. Deems.....	1841	Chatham county, N. C. ...	1815	Virginia.....	1870	Baltimore, Md.	Baltimore, Md.
W. G. Tuttle.....	1798	Virginia.....	1824	Virginia.....	1870	Caldwell county, N. C.	Near Lenoir, N. C.
George C. Bynum.....	1816	Cabarrus county, N. C. ...	1828	Raleigh, N. C.	1871	Guilford county, N. C.	Chatham county, N. C.
James Reid.....	1825	Rockingham county, NC	1814	Columbia, S. C.	1871	Greensboro, N. C.	Louisburg, N. C.
William Ho mes.....	1833	Spartanburg, S. C.	1851	Salisbury, N. C.	1872	Henderson, N. C.	Henderson, N. C.
Alfred Norman.....	1827	Chatham county, N. C. ...	1852	Columbia, S. C.	1872	Caswell county, N. C.	High Rock, N. C.
William Barringer.....	1833	Kershaw, S. C.	1869	Cheraw, S. C.	1873	Greensboro, N. C.	Greensboro, N. C.
Numa F. Reid.....	1845	McDowell county, N. C.	1854	South Carolina.....	1873	Wentworth, N. C. ...	Wentworth, N. C. ...
Charles E. Land.....	1857	Chatham county, N. C. ...	1858	Louisburg, N. C.	1874	Monroe, N. C.	Monroe, N. C.
William F. Clegg.....	1833	Kershaw, S. C.	1852	Louisburg, N. C.	1875	Chatham county, N. C.	Chatham county, N. C.
E. W. Thompson.....	1845	McDowell county, N. C.	1869	Cheraw, S. C.	1877	Morganton, N. C.	Morganton, N. C.
T. P. England.....	1845	McDowell county, N. C.	1869	Cheraw, S. C.	1878	Cleveland county, N. C.	Shelby, N. C.

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W. D. Meacham	1833	Richmond county, N. C.	1855	Wilmington, N. C.	1878	Davidson county, N. C.	Near Linwood, N. C.
J. P. Moore	1818	Person county, N. C.	1853	Raleigh, N. C.	1873	Halifax county, N. C.	Warrenton, N. C.
D. C. Johnson	1825	Randolph county, N. C.	1853	Raleigh, N. C.	1878	Randolph county, N. C.	Trinity, N. C.
W. M. D. Moore	1810	South Carolina	1829	South Carolina	1879	North Carolina	Southport, N. C.
John Jones	1810	Beaufort, N. C.	1850	North Carolina	1879	Beaufort, N. C.	Beaufort, N. C.
J. H. Hill	1823	Randolph county, N. C.	1853	Raleigh, N. C.	1880	Sladesville, N. C.	Randolph county, N. C.
William D. Lee	1833	Union, S. C.	1869	Cheraw, S. C.	1880	Shelby, N. C.	Shelby, N. C.
Ira T. Wyche	1816	Virginia	1833	Greensboro, N. C.	1880	LaGrange, N. C.	Goldsboro, N. C.
A. A. Boshamer	1847	Caswell county, N. C.	1870	Greensboro, N. C.	1881	Raleigh, N. C.	Wadesboro, N. C.
J. S. Erwin	1829	Clarendon, S. C.	1852	South Carolina	1881	King's Mountain, N. C.	King's Mountain, N. C.
R. M. Brown	1831	Charlotte, F. C.	1870	North Carolina	1881	Randolph county, N. C.	Randolph county, N. C.
Joseph T. Arrington	1809	Virginia	1833	Petersburg, Va.	1882	Enfield, N. C.	Henderson, N. C.
William Cross	1809	Virginia	1824	Virginia	1882	Wake county, N. C.	Oaky Grove, N. C.
Benett T. Blake	1822	Randolph county, N. C.	1857	Goldsboro, N. C.	1882	Trinity College, N. C.	Trinity, N. C.
Braxton Craven	1842	Alexander county, N. C.	1872	Fayetteville, N. C.	1882	Mocksville, N. C.	Mocksville, N. C.
Thomas A. Coon	1813	Virginia	1833	Petersburg, Va.	1882	Roxboro, N. C.	Roxboro, N. C.
William M. Jordan	1822	Camden county, N. C.	1852	Raleigh, N. C.	1882	Lenoir county, N. C.	Chocowinity, N. C.
Samuel B. Dozier	1810	Baltimore, Md.	1882	Warren county, N. C.	1883	North Carolina	Nashville, N. C.
J. R. Finley	1811	Iredell county, N. C.	1840	Mocksville, N. C.	1883	Wilmington, N. C.	Wilmington, N. C.
Jeremiah Johnson	1819	Wilmington, N. C.	1851	Durham, N. C.	1883	Pineville, N. C.	Raleigh, N. C.
Edward Schulken	1829	Brunswick county, Va.	1844	Pittsboro, N. C.	1883	Wadesboro, N. C.	Wadesboro, N. C.
Lemon Sten	1813	Rockingham county, N. C.	1855	Wilmington, N. C.	1883	Randolph county, N. C.	Randolph county, N. C.
Oscar J. Brant	1843	Moore county, N. C.	1866	Fayetteville, N. C.	1883	Concord, N. C.	Carthage, N. C.
James B. Alford	1832	Patrick county, Va.	1863	Greensboro, N. C.	1884	Winston, N. C.	Winston, N. C.
Hiram P. Cole	1841	Virginia	1871	Charlotte, N. C.	1884	Rockingham, N. C.	Rockingham, N. C.
Charles C. Dodson	1808	Randolph, N. C.	1833	Petersburg, Va.	1885	Thomasville, N. C.	Thomasville, N. C.
Jesse H. Guinn	1800	Nelson county, Va.	1836	Virginia	1885	Trinity, N. C.	Trinity, N. C.
John W. Lewis	1822	Williamston, N. C.	1838	Greensboro, N. C.	1885	Durham county, N. C.	Durham county, N. C.
Robert P. Babb	1814	Granville county, N. C.	1845	Washington, N. C.	1885	Boone, N. C.	Booneville, N. C.
Henry Gray	1826	Moore county, N. C.	1850	Warrenton, N. C.	1885	Randolph county, N. C.	Randolph co., N. C.
Oscar J. Brant	1841	Moore county, N. C.	1854	Pittsboro, N. C.	1885	Halifax county, N. C.	Goldsboro, N. C.
John W. Floyd	1841	Moore county, N. C.	1867	Wilmington, N. C.	1885	Durham, N. C.	Durham, N. C.
Charles H. Phillips							
John N. Andrews							
Baxter C. Phillips							

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Lemuel H. Gibbons	1844	Lenoir county, N. C....	1870	Greensboro, N. C....	1885	Chatham county, N. C.	Jonesboro, N. C.
William I. Hull.....	1854	Cabarrus county, N. C.	1879	Wilson, N. C.	1885	King's Mountain, N. C.	King's Mountain, N. C.
James Mahoney	1812	Sumter county, S. C....	1869	New Berne, N. C....	1885	Goldsboro, N. C.	Durham, N. C.
William H. Watkins.....	1847	Richmond county, N. C.	1873	Goldsboro, N. C....	1886	Stanly county, N. C....	Albemarle, N. C.
Thomas A. Stone.....	1853	Pittsylvania county Va	1879	Wilson, N. C.	1887	Rowan county, N. C....	Mocksville, N. C.
Christie A. Gault.....	1850	Lincoln county, N. C....	1873	Goldsboro, N. C....	1887	Taylorsville, N. C....	Plateau, N. C.
Henry H. Gibbons.....	1818	Greene county, N. C....	1850	Warrenton, N. C....	1887	Mt. Olive, N. C.	Falsons, N. C.
Lingurn S. Burkhead....	1824	Davidson county, N. C.	1849	Oxford, N. C.	1887	Fayetteville, N. C....	Raleigh, N. C.
Thomas S. Hoyle	1811	Maryland	1837	Baltimore, Md.	1888	Rockingham co., N. C.	Madison, N. C.
Daniel May	1822	Anson county, N. C....	1850	Wadesboro, N. C....	1888	Lumberton, N. C....	Lumberton, N. C....
Nathan H. D. Wilson....	1822	Gulford county, N. C....	1843	Halifax, Va.	1888	Franklinton, N. C....	Greensboro, N. C....
Thomas S. Campbell	1810	Amherst county, Va....	1831	New Berne, N. C....	1888	Lexington, N. C.	Lexington, N. C....
John J. Grigg	1850	Portsmouth, Va.	1884	Wilmington, N. C....	1889	Laurinburg, N. C....	Laurinburg, N. C....
James W. Randle.....	1847	Stanly county, N. C....	1874	Raleigh, N. C.	1889	Micanopy, Fla.	Micanopy, Fla.
Gaston Farrar	1811	Chatham county, N. C.	1836	Macon, Ga.	1889	Chatham county, N. C.	Chatham, N. C.
Wesley M. Robey	1832	Yadkin county, N. C....	1860	Salisbury, N. C....	1889	Goldsboro, N. C....	Goldsboro, N. C....
Joseph Wheeler.....	1833	Camden, S. C....	1835	Wilmington, N. C....	1889	King's Mountain, N. C.	King's Mountain, N. C.
Edward Howland.....	1846	New Berne, N. C....	1869	New Berne, N. C....	1890	Raleigh, N. C....	Raleigh, N. C....
Adolphus W. Mangum..	1834	Orange county, N. C....	1856	Greensboro, N. C....	1890	Chapel Hill, N. C....	Chapel Hill, N. C....
James E. Mann	1832	Chatham county, N. C.	1853	Raleigh, N. C....	1890	St. Louis, Mo.	Winston, N. C....
Junius T. Harris	1844	Davidson county, N. C.	1870	Greensboro, N. C....	1890	Durham, N. C....	Durham, N. C....
William H. Bobbitt.....	1826	Halifax county, N. C....	1846	New Berne, N. C....	1890	Fayetteville, N. C....	Winston, N. C....
Daniel Culbreth.....	1808	Sampson county, N. C.	1831	New Berne, N. C....	1891	Raleigh, N. C....	Raleigh, N. C....
Thomas C. Moses.....	1807	Franklin county, N. C.	1844	Pittsboro, N. C....	1891	Chatham county, N. C.	Near Pittsboro, N. C.
Robert O. Burton.....	1811	Campbell county, Va....	1833	Petersburg, Va....	1891	Halifax county, N. C.	Halifax co., N. C.
Samuel V. Hoyle.....	1836	Georgetown, D. C....	1854	Norfolk, Va.	1892	Jonesboro, N. C....	Jonesboro, N. C....
John W. North	1828	Williamsburgh co., S. C.	1849	Camden, S. C....	1892	Cleveland co., N. C....	Shelby, N. C....
Joseph G. Nelson.....	1862	.....	1884	Wilmington, N. C....	1892	Hobgood, N. C....	Hobgood, N. C....
Robert B. Gilliam	1828	Oxford, N. C....	1885	Charlotte, N. C....	1893	Jones county, N. C....	Trenton, N. C....
James H. Cordon.....	1851	Washington, N. C....	1877	Salisbury, N. C....	1893	Oxford, N. C....	Oxford, N. C....
Thomas W. S. Parker..	1865	Yadkin county, N. C....	1887	Fayetteville, N. C....	1893	Hillsville, Va.	Charlotte, N. C....
John T. Finlayson.....	1855	.....	1879	Wilson, N. C....	1893	Lumberton, N. C....	Lumberton, N. C....
Marquis L. Wood.....	1829	Randolph county, N. C.	1855	Wilmington, N. C....	1893	Gibson Station, N. C.	Rockingham, N. C....
Shockley D. Adams.....	1829	Marlboro county, S. C.	1852	Louisburg, N. C....	1894	Weldon, N. C....	Carthage, N. C....

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David R. Bruton..	1829	Montgomery co., N. C.	1857	Goldsboro, N. C.	1894	Wilson, N. C.	Wilson, N. C.
Frank L. Reid.....	1851	Rockingham co., N. C.	1870	Greensboro, N. C.	1894	Greensboro, N. C.	Greensboro, N. C.
Joseph H. Wheeler.	1810	Newark, N. J.	1834	Charleston, S. C.	1894	Charleston, S. C.	Charleston, S. C.
VanBuren A. Sharpe .	1834	Pickens county, S. C.	1857	Charlotte, N. C.	1895	Stem, N. C.	Durham, N. C.
Miles Foy.....	1811	Jones county, N. C.	1829	Lynchburg, Va.	1895	Mt. Airy, N. C.	Mt. Airy, N. C.
Washington S. Chaffin..	1815	Stokes county, N. C.	1840	Mocksville, N. C.	1895	Jonesboro, N. C.	Jonesboro, N. C.
George E. Wyche.....			1856	Greensboro, N. C.	1895	Raleigh, N. C.	Raleigh, N. C.
Robert L. Warlick.....	1856	Burke county, N. C.	1880	Winston, N. C.	1896	Portsmouth, N. C.	Onslow county, N. C.
Thomas W. Guthrie.....	1828	Chatham, N. C.	1851	Salisbury, N. C.	1896	Rockingham, N. C.	Rockingham, N. C.
Thomas C. Lovin	1850	Richmond county, N. C.	1885	Charlotte, N. C.	1896		
Daniel Reid.....	1859	Washington, N. C.	1888	New Berne, N. C.	1896	Jacksonville, N. C.	
John W. Gibson.....	1866		1892	Wilmington, N. C.	1896	Richmond county, N. C.	
William B. Doub.....	1852	Raleigh, N. C.	1876	Greensboro, N. C.	1896	Durham, N. C.	Durham, N. C.
James B. Bailey.....	1818	Suffolk, Va.	1856	Greensboro, N. C.	1896	Wilmington, N. C.	Scott's Hill, N. C.
James B. Bobbitt.....	1835	Halifax co., N. C.	1855	Wilmington, N. C.	1896	Raleigh, N. C.	Raleigh, N. C.
Langhorne Leitch.....	1866	Buckingham county, Va.	1890	Lebanon, Ore.	1897	Baltimore.	Baltimore, Md.
William S. Black.....	1836	Cokesbury, S. C.	1855	Marion, S. C.	1897	Littleton.	Raleigh, N. C.
Joseph B. Martin..	1824	Henry county, Va.	1844	Washington, N. C.	1897	Danville, Va.	Chapel Hill, N. C.
John C. McCall.....	1867	Richmond county, N. C.	1891	Greenville, N. C.	1898	Laurinburg, N. C.	
Jesse A. Cuninggim.....	1832	Greene county, N. C.	1853	Wilmington, N. C.	1899	Greensboro, N. C.	Greensboro, N. C.
Thomas B. Reeks.....	1825	Granville county, N. C.	1854	Pittsboro, N. C.	1899	Warren county, N. C.	Warren county, N. C.
Nathan A. Hooker.....	1816	Greene county, N. C.	1840	Mocksville, N. C.	1899	Kinston, N. C.	Kinston, N. C.
Robert P. Troy	1838	Randolph county, N. C.	1883	Statesville, N. C.	1899	Greensboro, N. C.	Greensboro, N. C.
Peter L. Herman.....	1833	Catawba county, N. C.	1859	Greenville, S. C.	1899	Dunn, N. C.	Dunn, N. C.
Lucien J. Holden.....	1844	Orange county, N. C.	1873	Goldsboro, N. C.	1899	Snow Hill, N. C.	Rocky Mount, N. C.
John T. Abernethy.....	1850	Catawba county, N. C.	1881	Durham, N. C.	1899	Enfield, N. C.	Enfield, N. C.

The Secretary will be pleased to be notified of any error in dates, or omission of names in the roll, or information regarding the burial places of the dead, so that an accurate and complete roll may be given.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

North Carolina Conference Historical Society.

WASHINGTON, N. C., December 7, 1899.

The Sixth Annual Meeting of the North Carolina Conference Historical Society was held in the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in Washington, N. C., December 7th, 1899, G. A. Oglesby in the Chair. Religious service was conducted by Rev. A. P. Tyer. W. L. Cuninggim was requested to act as Secretary pro tem.

Rev. Plato Durham, of Durham, N. C., the Orator of the evening, being unavoidably prevented from attending the meeting, Dr. J. S. Bassett delivered an address on "Conditions of Slavery in North Carolina as they Touch Religion."

On motion of W. S. Rone, the Society extended a vote of thanks to Dr. Bassett.

The following officers of the Society were elected, viz: President, N. H. D. Wilson; 1st Vice-President, J. D. Bundy; 2d Vice-President, W. W. Rose; Secretary, W. L. Cuninggim; Treasurer, G. F. Smith; Editor "Annual," Dr. J. S. Bassett.

On motion of N. E. Coltrane, Dr. Bassett was requested to grant copies of his paper to be published in the Raleigh Post and News and Observer.

Rev. T. N. Ivey was requested to deliver an address at the next annual meeting of the Society on the "Life, Character and Labors of the late W. H. Branson."

On motion of W. S. Rone, it was ordered that this Society take steps to work in union with the Society of the Western North Carolina Conference.

On motion, the Society adjourned with benediction.

G. A. OGLESBY, President.

W. L. CUNINGGIM, Secretary pro tem.

The North Carolina Conference Brotherhood.

December 23, 1899.

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